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Chattanooga, Tennessee

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Maryville, Tennessee

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# HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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## OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE

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E. E. CAVALERI,	J. M. WATKINS,	D. L. JONES

## STANDING COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCE BOARDS

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### EVANGELISM:

C. V. Bellamy, Charles Holliday, E. N. Tarpley, C. G. Baker, D. M. Householder.

### SOCIAL SERVICE:

Godfrey Tietze, A. J. Murphy, M. H. Rambo, S. E. Nelson, F. T. Meacham.

### TEMPERANCE:

F. H. Trotter, J. F. Reed, G. L. Shupe, S. N. Eblen, Dr. J. Q. A. West.

### RESOLUTIONS:

W. F. Ledford, C. E. Rogers, E. E. Cavaleri.

### NOMINATIONS:

F. H. Carey, W. C. Daniels, Ernest Pelleaux, J. A. Grigsby, F. L. Bewley, F. T. Meacham.

### CONFERENCE RELATIONS:

Term expires in 1938:

M. M. Moore, J. F. Rowe, G. J. Creswell.

Term expires in 1939:

W. K. Harris, W. L. Pickering, W. D. Wilkinson.

Term expires in 1940:

W. E. Bishop, W. C. Martin, W. C. Daniels.

### CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE CIRCULATION COMMITTEE:

Chattanooga District—R. F. Porter, H. H. Moore.

Bristol District—E. N. Tarpley, L. R. Hite.

Harriman District—D. W. Jenkins, Lem Trotter.

Knoxville District—Solon McNeese, D. M. Householder.

Johnson City—J. L. Chaney, R. H. Burkhart.

### WORLD SERVICE COUNCIL (D. Paragraph 1123, Sec. 2, Sub. 3):

The Resident Bishop of the Area, the District Superintendents, the Chairmen of the Conference Boards, Commissions and Committees related to World Service Interests.

#### From the Districts:

Bristol District—The pastor of First Church Bristol, E. N. Tarpley, Gilmer Dishman, Jasper Light.

Chattanooga District—The pastor of First Church, Cleveland, W. C. Daniels, Frank H. Trotter, John S. Fletcher.

Harriman District—D. W. Donaldson, A. B. Pearce, Mrs. Mae Evans, J. H. Winchester.

Johnson City District—M. M. Moore, Kirk W. Robbins, W. V. Miller, F. L. Bewley.

Knoxville District—Pastor of Trinity Church, W. R. Curtis, W. O. Lowe, B. R. Stout.

Manker Patten—H. G. Williamson, Kirk W. Robbins.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION (D. Paragraph 1273, Sec. 1):

Conference Presidents of Home and Foreign Missionary Societies, President of the Layman's Association, District Superintendents, Conference President of Epworth League. H. G. Williamson, R. A. Kilburn, W. C. Martin, J. L. Robb, W. E. Bishop, R. L. Staple-

ton, W. A. Smith, R. H. Burkhart, M. M. Moore, W. D. Wilkinson, W. H. Tarwater, R. C. Elzey, John King, W. C. Daniels, D. L. Jones, W. F. Ledford, Luther Flynn, O. R. Tarwater, Geo. J. Creswell, Alex. Guerry, W. L. Pickering, J. L. Chaney, D. W. Donaldson, W. M. Grier, C. E. Rogers, F. A. Hamilton, L. H. Rhodes, S. E. Nelson, J. H. Jarvis, W. P. Bales, Lupton Patten, W. O. Love, R. A. Kramer, W. E. Evans, L. R. Hite, R. F. Porter.

#### FOREIGN MISSIONS:

District Superintendents. District Epworth League Presidents. Conference Leader of Young People. District Missionary Presidents. Mrs. R. J. Miller, Mrs. Elizabeth Eades, Mrs. C. M. Bidle, Mrs. Fred Broome.

#### CHURCH LOCATION:

The District Superintendents.

Bristol District—E. L. Bowyer, S. N. Eblen, C. H. Ely, L. B. Hagy, James Frailey, L. R. Hite.

Chattanooga District—R. F. Porter. The Pastor of First Church, Cleveland. The Pastor of Highland Park Church. W. L. Humphreys, C. O. Douglas, Tom Beatty.

Harriman District—D. W. Jenkins, S. A. Hopper, F. H. Carey, I. N. Barnett, J. H. Winchester, R. H. Thompson.

Johnson City District—M. M. Moore, Charles Mehaffey, I. G. Crowder, R. H. Burkhart, J. A. Grigsby, F. L. Bewley.

Knoxville District—Glenn Lippse, W. R. Harris, C. V. Bellamy, W. I. Marshall, J. M. Roberts, J. A. Fowler.

#### CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION (Made by recommendation of Cabinet):

The District Superintendents. G. T. Francisco, G. J. Creswell, W. L. Pickering, R. C. Elzey, T. O. Marshall. The pastor of Highland Park Church, Chattanooga. The pastor of First Church, Bristol. John L. Chaney, M. S. Roberts, W. V. Miller, Roy Cardwell, L. B. Austin, L. R. Hite.

#### TO PREACH MISSIONARY SERMON (On recommendation of Cabinet):

F. A. Hamilton. Alternate, D. W. Jenkins.

#### TO PREACH MEMORIAL SERMON (On recommendation of Cabinet):

W. H. Ragan. Alternate, W. M. Bull.

#### THE COMMISSION ON A MINIMUM PASTORAL SUPPORT:

The District Superintendents.

Bristol District—The pastor of First Church, Bristol. L. R. Hite.

Chattanooga District—R. R. Ghormley, O. L. Reed.

Harriman District—W. M. Greer, I. N. Barnett.

Johnson City District—Geo. W. Atkinson, Dr. Carroll Long.

Knoxville District—O. R. Tarwater, G. A. Shuey.

#### AUDITING COMMITTEE:

M. M. Moore, L. R. Hite, C. R. Tthearn.

#### BOARD OF STEWARDS:

For Term expiring 1938—W. K. Harris, C. H. Ely, W. L. Pickering, J. A. Grigsby.

For Term Expiring 1939—J. F. Rowe, W. M. Dye, T. O. Marshall, J. L. Robb.

For Term Expiring 1940—R. L. Stapleton, J. F. Reed, D. B. Cooper, C. G. Baker.

#### DEACONESS:

Mrs. W. M. Dye, Mrs. H. E. Little, Mrs. J. W. Hill.

**THE BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR THE QUADRENNIUM 1936-1940:**

G. J. Creswell, W. R. Curtis, W. C. Daniels, D. W. Donaldson, W. M. Dye, R. C. Elzey, F. A. Hamilton, D. L. Jones, R. A. Kilburn, J. E. Milburn, W. C. Martin, M. M. Moore, K. W. Robbins, J. F. Rowe, G. Tietze.

**TRUSTEES OF THE CONFERENCE:**

Term Expires in 1938—G. T. Francisco, R. L. Stapleton, J. S. Burnett.

Term Expires in 1939—J. M. Melear, W. K. Harris, J. F. Rowe.

Term Expires in 1940—W. F. Pitts, W. M. Dye, O. R. Tarwater.

(Trustees of the Conference take the place of the Board of Incorporators.)

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**TRUSTEES OF HOLSTON ASSEMBLY ASSOCIATION  
APPOINTED BY THE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION  
OCTOBER 16, 1936**

One-Year Term—W. O. Whittle, M. B. Hoffeld, Frank H. Trotter, A. M. Hill, W. A. Smith, J. M. Hampton, R. M. Millard, R. L. Stapleton, Solon McNeese.

Two-Year Term—J. F. Rowe, W. H. Ragan, E. H. Ogle, W. D. Wilkinson, W. D. Hitch, C. G. Baker, Astor Jenkins, John King, J. H. Jarvis.

Three-Year Term—P. L. White, D. M. Householder, F. H. Broome, Dr. M. S. Roberts, J. E. Milburn, C. B. Tarwater, O. R. Tarwater, G. T. Francisco, Mrs. Ed Post.

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**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF PREACHERS AID SOCIETY  
HOLSTON CONFERENCE  
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

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**Terms of Office**

**Term Expires in**

**MINISTERS**

1939—O. R. Tarwater.

1940—R. L. Stapleton.

1941—H. M. Hawk.

1942—W. E. Bishop.

**LAYMEN:**

1938—J. A. Grigsby,  
W. I. Marshall.

1939—G. F. Lockmiller,  
R. R. Kramer.

1940—F. H. Trotter,  
R. H. Burkhart.

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**TRUSTEES OF TENNESSEE WESLEYAN COLLEGE**

Elected for Three Years—William M. Dye, G. T. Francisco, J. Rollo Emert.



## CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

### FIRST DAY

The Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church met for its Ninety-Fourth Annual Session at Second Methodist Episcopal Church, Knoxville, Tennessee, Wednesday, October 13, 1937, at 2:00 P. M., Bishop Wallace E. Brown, presiding. Conference sang "Come Thou Almighty King" and A. J. Murphy led in prayer.

**Holy Communion.** Bishop Brown, assisted by the District Superintendents and the pastors of the Local Church, G. J. Creswell and J. A. King, administered the Communion.

**Memorial Service.** An impressive memorial service was held for our honored dead, with Memorial Address by Rev. E. H. Ogle. Those who had died during the year were: conference member, W. L. Oliver; widows of conference members, Mrs. J. J. Robinette, Mrs. G. T. Newcomb, Mrs. R. C. Robertson, Mrs. E. A. Bishop; wives of conference members: Mrs. C. W. Miller and Mrs. J. M. Dew; supply pastor, M. B. Gass.

**Roll Call.** The Secretary of the last conference called the roll and 108 conference members answered to their names. Names of those present at roll call or any other sessions of the conference will be indicated in the conference directory. The roll of the six probationers was called and three answered to their names. The roll of the accepted supply pastors was called and fifteen answered to their names.

**Organization.** O. R. Tarwater was reelected secretary and named as his assistants R. L. Stapleton and C. B. Tarwater. They were elected by the conference. Cicero Dobbs, who was elected last year as statistician for this conference, nominated as his assistants E. C. Trentham, C. R. Athearn, G. W. Atkinson, F. C. Mason, J. H. Meyers and O. B. White, and they were elected. W. F. Pitts, elected last year as treasurer of the conference, nominated as his assistants, T. O. Marshall, G. E. Blanchard, F. H. Carey, C. D. Mehaffey, W. C. Winslow, C. M. Turner, E. E. Caveleri, J. M. Watkins and D. L. Jones and they were elected. C. B. Tarwater was elected reporter for the local newspapers and the church press. The area of the conference was fixed to include the first seven rows of pews in the church auditorium. On motion of R. L. Stapleton the printed program was made the official program of the conference, subject to such changes as may become necessary from time to time.

**Reserve Pension Fund.** On motion of W. M. Dye, business of the Commission on Reserve Pension Fund was made the order of the day for Thursday, following the reading of the Composite Report of the District Superintendents.

**Introductions.** Dr. O. W. Fifer, Editor of the Christian Advocate at Cincinnati, was introduced and addressed the conference. Others introduced were: Dr. Raymond Huse, Pastor of the First Methodist church, of Ithica, N. Y., and speaker at the afternoon inspirational hours; Dr. Shelton, Presiding Elder of the Knoxville District, Holston Conference, M. E. Church, South; J. Homer Slutz, from the Vermont Conference; Dr. K. W. Robbins, from the Newark Conference;

Rev. John Howes, from the Kentucky Conference; Frank A. Hamilton, from the St. John's River, and W. L. Hart, from Blue Ridge-Atlantic.

**Commission on Accepted Supply Pastors.** E. C. Wareing moved that the Committee on Accepted Supply Pastors be constituted the same as last year. The motion was adopted.

**Order of the Day for Friday.** On motion of W. M. Dye the corporate Session was made the order of the day for 10 o'clock Friday morning.

**Pastor's Statistical Reports.** The secretary called the roll of the charges and pastors placed their reports in the hands of the statistician and treasurer.<sup>1</sup>

**Executive Session.** On motion of J. M. Hampton, the Conference went into Executive Session.

#### Executive Session

J. M. Hampton moved that, operating under Discipline Par. 742—Sec. 3, a committee be appointed to try T. V. Peters on charges of immorality. The motion was adopted and a committee was appointed consisting of: R. F. Porter, W. C. Martin, J. L. Chaney, W. L. Pickering, R. C. Elzey, D. L. Jones, E. N. Tarpley, W. K. Harris and W. D. Wilkinson. This committee was nominated by the Bishop and elected by the conference. M. M. Moore was appointed by the Bishop as counsel for the defense and G. T. Fransico counsel for the church. Executive session was adjourned, on motion of the secretary, and regular conference session resumed.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by W. H. Ragan.

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#### SECOND DAY

Conference convened at 8:30 A. M. and all joined in singing, "May Jesus Christ Be Praised." W. R. Curtis led in prayer and the devotional address was delivered by J. Homer Slutz, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Knoxville.

**Journal.** The journal of the first day's session was read by the secretary and adopted by the conference.

**Drafts.** The Bishop announced receipt of a draft for \$60.00 from the Chartered Fund. A draft for \$269.00 from the Methodist Advocate Journal Fund was presented by R. L. Stapleton and for \$400.00 from interest from the Reserve Pension Fund by W. M. Dye. These were accepted with the thanks of the conference and placed in the hands of the conference treasurer.

**Dr. Smith.** Dr. J. Holmes Smith, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, was introduced and addressed the conference.

**Referred.** On motion of J. M. Hampton, H. C. Coleman and M. L. Sivils were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

**Dr. J. W. Broyles.** The Bishop announced receipt of a letter from Dr. J. W. Broyles, extending greetings to the conference and asking to be continued in his special appointment as Professor of Philosophy in Hamline University.



**Dr. Dawber.** Dr. M. A. Dawber, representing the Board of Home Missions, was presented to the conference.

**Fraternal Delegate.** Rev. Robert Morton, Fraternal Delegate from the Knox County Association of the Baptist Church, was introduced.

**Excused.** J. F. Gilbert and F. H. Carey were excused for the day to conduct a funeral service.

**Statistician.** The statistician, Cicero Dobbs, called for delinquent reports and moved that after 2 o'clock this afternoon the statistics of last year be substituted for this year for all charges from which statistical reports had not been received.

Questions 20, 22 and 23 were asked and properly answered. (See disciplinary report.)

**Question 21.** Who have been received by transfer and from what conferences? John B. Howes, Kentucky, Arthur B. Pierce, Central New York; Kirk Waldo Robbins, Newark, Wilbur L. Hart, Blue-Ridge Atlantic.

**Question 24.** Who have been received on trial? (a) In studies of first year, Edgar Eldridge, J. Dan Gibson, Rowland Hall, R. Frank Porter, Jr., Clyde N. Rogers and Carroll Skeene.

(b) In the studies of the third year—None.

(c) Exempt from course of study under the Seminary Rule. Charles Palmer, Oliver R. Tarwater, Jr.

**Question 25.** Who have been continued on trial (a) In studies of First Year, Harold Harris, Frank E. Trotter, Roy T. Wampler, John M. Watkins.

(b) In studies of the second year. John S. Deck was continued on trial and advanced to studies of the second year.

Question 26 was asked and properly answered. (See Disciplinary Report.)

**Question 28.** What members are in studies of the Third Year?

(a) Admitted into full membership this year. None.

(b) Admitted into full membership previously. Horace N. Barker, Frank T. Branson, Buford G. Keebler, Robert C. Sharp and James B. Wilson.

**Question 29.** What members are in studies of the Fourth Year? Ralph E. Cline and Perry T. Rule.

**Question 30.** What members have completed the Conference Course of Study?

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year. William F. Barber. Frank C. Mason, Charlie D. McHaffey and Charles E. Pickering.

(b) Elected and ordained Elders previously. None.

(c) Elected and ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule. Charles W. Dye.

**Question 31.** What others have been elected and ordained Deacons? As Local Preachers—W. L. Roberts.

(b) Under Seminary Rule, Charles E. Palmer and Oliver R. Tarwater, Jr.

**Question 27.** Who have been admitted into full membership. (a) Elected and ordained Deacons this year. None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously. Charles W. Dye and Charles M. Turner.

**Question 34.** The characters of the District Superintendents were passed and the characters of the effective Elders on each district passed, with the exception of one whose name had been referred to a special committee.

**Composite Report.** The Composite Report of the District Superintendents was read by F. D. Watson, Superintendent of the Bristol District.

**Morristown College.** Dr. John W. Haywood, President of Morristown College, was presented and spoke in behalf of the institution. The conference heard, with much pleasure, the singing of a number of Negro Spirituals by a quartet of the college students.

**Order of the Day.** The order of the day was taken up and W. M. Dye gave his report as Executive Secretary and Treasurer of the Reserve Pension Fund. The report was received by the conference. (See Report.) J. E. Milburn, chairman of the Commission addressed the conference and presented resolutions which were adopted. (See Resolutions.) At the request of the commission, Bishop Brown addressed the conference in the interest of the Conference Claimants.

**Introductions.** Dr. J. A. Bays, Pastor of the M. E. Church, South, in Kingsport, Dr. Anderson, Pastor of the Community Church at Norris, and Dr. Wright, Pastor of the Lincoln Park M. E. Church, South, were introduced.

Conference sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow" and adjourned with the benediction by J. E. Milburn.

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### THIRD DAY

Conference convened at 8:30 A. M. and after the worship of song, W. K. Harris led in prayer. The devotional address was given by Dr. Kirk Waldo Robbins, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Johnson City.

**Journal.** The journal of the previous day's session was read, and after correction, approved by the conference.

**Question 21.** Who have been received by transfer and from what conferences? Wilbur L. Hart, Blue Ridge-Atlantic, as of Jan. 1, 1937. Wallace F. Fowler, Alabama.

Frank E. Trotter was transferred, as a probationer, to the Newark Conference to be ordained as Elder, with the understanding that he is to be transferred back to this conference after ordination.

**Accepted Supply Pastors.** The following list of those to be continued as accepted supply pastors was read by J. F. Rowe and approved by the conference: W. L. Roberts, G. F. Cox, D. T. Jones, E. F. Wood, John Babb, Alden Eddy, S. S. Kreger, W. H. Quarry, H. H. Leonard, C. L. Poulston, C. E. Duncan, B. M. Gibson and A. L. Ad-

dington. Those granted the relation of Accepted Supply Pastor were: John W. Atkinson, M. Russell Leedy, W. J. Camphor, Malcomb Jollay, N. D. Dickens, Arnold A. Vermilion, Michael Latham, Charles Lai Lee, A. J. Ledford, Wm. Dean, B. Gillespie. William L. Roberts was elected to Deacon's Orders as a Local Preacher.

**Committee on Conference Relations.** On recommendation of the committee on Conference Relations M. L. Sivils was granted the retired relation. H. C. Coleman was granted the supernumerary relation. Announcement was made that H. W. McDonald had been automatically located.

**Question 36.** What accepted supply pastors are taking the Course of Study? The list was read by R. A. Kilburn and approved by the conference. (See Disciplinary Report.)

**Question 27.** Who have been admitted into full membership? Charles W. Dye and Charles M. Turner answered satisfactorily the required Disciplinary Questions and were admitted to full membership in the conference.

**Corporate Session.** Conference went into corporate session, with G. T. Francisco, chairman of the Board of Incorporators, presiding. Legal matters pertaining to the holding and sale of property were explained by John S. Fletcher, a layman, and the conference elected nine conference members as trustees of the conference, three for one year, three for two years, and three for three years. Those elected for one year were: G. T. Francisco, R. L. Stapleton and J. S. Burnett; for two years, J. M. Melear, W. K. Harris and J. F. Rowe; those for three years, W. F. Pitts, W. M. Dye and O. R. Tarwater.

**A Resolution** concerning continuance of the Commission for Cooperation With The Tennessee Valley Authority was read by J. M. Hampton and adopted by the conference. (See Resolution.)

**Holston Assembly Ground.** Names of persons nominated to serve for three years as Trustees of the Holston Assembly Ground were read by R. L. Stapleton and approved by the conference. (See list of Trustees.)

**Regular Conference Session Resumed.** On motion of W. M. Dye, Corporate Session adjourned and regular conference session was resumed.

**United Session.** J. A. Grigsby, President of the Lay Conference, was introduced and addressed the conference. The roll of lay members was called by F. T. Meacham, Secretary.

**Special Resolution.** A resolution concerning financial aid for supply pastors and others in times of special need was read by G. W. Atkinson and adopted by the conference. (See Resolution.)

**Special Offering.** After a statement by J. E. Milburn concerning the broken health of supply pastor, W. C. Sauceman, an offering was taken amounting to \$130.00.

**Dr. Douglass.** Dr. George C. Douglass, Senior Publishing Agent of the Methodist Book Concern, was introduced and spoke in behalf of the publications of the Book Concern.

**Question 19.** Where shall the next conference be held? J. Homer Slutz, pastor of First Church, Knoxville, extended the invitation of



the congregation to meet at this church, provided no other invitation was given. The conference voted to meet at First Church, Knoxville, next year.

**World Service Commission.** D. W. Donaldson read the report of the Conference World Service Council. After discussion conference adopted the report and accepted the quota of 2,408 units for next year.

**Extension of Time.** On motion of E. C. Wareing time was extended to complete the business to come before the united Session.

**Dr. W. J. Davidson**, representing the Board of Home Missions, was introduced and spoke in behalf of the Board.

**Supply Pastors.** The Board of Ministerial Training reported that the following Accepted Supply Pastors must take the course for Reception on Trial: W. J. Camphor, C. E. Duncan (conditioned) Malcolm Jolley (conditioned), A. J. Ledford, A. A. Vermillion, Michael Latham and A. L. Addington. The following Accepted Supply Pastors are to take the correspondence course leading to Elder's Orders: Charles Lai Lee, H. H. Leonard. The following Accepted Supply Pastors should take some of the graduate courses: John Babb, S. S. Kregger, E. F. Wood and C. L. Poulston.

**Report of Treasurer.** The report of the Conference Treasurer, W. F. Pitts, was read by an assistant, G. E. Blanchard, and accepted by the conference. (See Report.)

**Report of Statistician.** The report of the Statistician, Cicero Dobbs, was read and accepted by the conference. (See Report.)

**Reelected.** Cicero Dobbs was reelected statistician and W. F. Pitts treasurer for the next conference.

**Orders of the Day.** On motion of J. M. Hampton, an Executive Session was made the order of the day for Saturday, following the reading of the Journal. On motion of R. A. Kilburn the report of the Board of Ministerial Training and graduating exercises for those completing the course of study were made the order of the day following the report of the Board of Education. On motion of R. L. Stapleton, a meeting of the Preacher's Aid Society was made the order of the day following the report of the Board of Ministerial Training.

**Introductions.** C. C. Benton, member of Blue Ridge-Atlantic Conference, C. W. Miller, pastor of the federated church at Pennington Gap, and Rev. Mr. O'Neil, pastor of the Marble City, United Brethren Church, were introduced.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by Brother O'Neil.

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## FOURTH DAY

### Morning Session

Conference convened at 8:30 A. M. After the song service Charles M. Turner led in prayer and the devotional address was given by Wilbur L. Hart.

**Journal.** The journal of the previous day's session was read by the secretary and approved by the conference.

**Scout Executive.** The Bishop introduced Orton L. Duggan, Boy Scout Executive for the Knoxville District.

**Greetings.** The conference received a telegram from the Tennessee Conference of the M. E. Church, South, extending greetings and best wishes and the secretary was directed to make suitable reply.

### **Excutive Session**

The order of the day was taken up and the conference, in executive session, heard the report of the Select Committee of Nine appointed to try Timothy V. Peters on charges of immorality. The chairman, R. L. Stapleton, reported for the committee as follows: "Your Select Committee of Nine Members of the Holston Conference, appointed in the case of Timothy V. Peters, beg leave to report that this case has been treid by the above committee, that he was found guilty as charged, and the committee voted unanimously to expel Timothy V. Peters from the ministry and membership of the Holston Conference and the Methodist Episcopal Church." The report of the committee was received by the conference and filed with the secretary. There being no further business the executive session adjourned and regular conference session was resumed.

**Conference Entertainment.** Solon McNeese, chairman of the local committee on conference entertainment, stated to the conference that the invitation from First Church, Knoxville, to the conference to meet in this church next year carried with it the understanding that the same plan of entertainment used this year should be followed next year in entertaining the conference at its annual session.

**Gift to W. H. Ragan.** In behalf of the ministers of the Knoxville District, W. M. Bull presented to W. H. Ragan a bill fold and sum of money in appreciation of his services for the past six years as Superintendent of the Knoxville District.

**Conference Treasurer.** On motion of W. M. Dye, conference voted to allow W. F. Pitts, conference treasurer, the sum of \$20.00 for expenses of his office, also the sum of \$60.00 to repay loan for money borrowed to defray expenses of law suit concerning property near Kingsport, this money to be taken from the Conference Entertainment Fund.

**Board of Education.** The order of the day was taken up and the report of the Conference Board of Education was presented by Mark M. Moore, Chairman. Lawrence Eisenburg, conference president of Holston Young People, reported for the work among the young people.

**Referred.** W. F. Pitts moved that a paragraph read by Bishop Brown from "Evangelism for Our Day," by J. T. Whale, be referred to the Committee on State of the Church, to be embodied in report of this committee for the Conference Journal. The motion was adopted.

The report from the Division on Education in the Local Church. This report included the proposed budget for the program of Religious Education in the conference for the coming year. G. T. Byrd moved to amend the report by striking out the portion of the proposed budget providing for the director for the conference. After discussion, on motion of W. M. Dye, action on the amendment was deferred until next year. The report was adopted and the proposed budget adopted. (See Report.)

The report from the Division on Schools and Colleges was read by Frank A. Hamilton. After an address by W. J. Davidson, representing the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the report was adopted as a whole.

**Order of the Day.** R. A. Kilburn read the report of the Board of Ministerial Training and presented diplomas to William F. Barber, Frank C. Mason, Charles E. Pickering and Charlie D. Mehaffey, who had completed the course of study. Diplomas were presented to Charles W. Dye, Charles E. Palmer and Oliver Tarwater, Jr., who had completed the course through graduation from Theological Seminaries. A certificate showing completion of another post graduate course was presented to T. O. Marshall. A letter from Dr. Allan MacRossie, commending the work of the Board of Ministerial Training, was read by the Bishop.

**Gift to J. E. Milburn.** In behalf of the pastors of the Johnson City District, W. F. Ledford presented a purse to J. E. Milburn in token of appreciation for his years of service as Superintendent of the Johnson City District.

**Special Resoution.....**A resolution concerning the statistical blanks for pastors' reports was read by J. L. Chaney and adopted by the conference. (See Resolution.)

**Board of Stewards.** The report of the Board of Stewards was read by R. L. Stapleton and adopted by the conference. (See Report.) R. L. Stapleton moved that the Board of Pensions at Chicago be requested to fix the Annuity Rate for the conference at eight dollars and a half per year, the same as last year's rate. The motion was adopted.

**Special Resolution.** A resolution concerning the attitude of retired ministers toward the pastors serving the charges where they reside was read by R. L. Stapleton and adopted by the conference. (See Resolution.)

**Preacher's Aid Society.** Conference took up the order of the day and met in the capacity of the Preacher's Aid Society. J. L. Chaney moved that the penalty of \$2.00 per year for delinquents in paying their dues to the Preacher's Aid Society should be abolished. The Bishop ruling that this was a constitutional question and could not be acted on without advance notice for one year, action was deferred until next year.

The cabinet presented as nominees for ministerial member of the Board of Trustees, W. E. Bishop, whose term had expired, and W. C. Daniels. The Ballot was taken and W. E. Bishop was elected. Nominees for the lay members of the Board, as presented by the cabinet were: R. H. Burkhart and F. H. Trotter, whose terms had expired, and I. N. Barnett and C. E. Rogers. The ballot was taken and R. H. Burkhart and F. H. Trotter were elected. Preacher's Aid Society was adjourned and regular conference session resumed.

**Deceased Lay Members.** J. E. Milburn moved that suitable memoirs of E. A. Long and H. C. Butler, lay members who had died during the year, be prepared and printed in the conference journal. The motion was adopted.

**Adjournment.** R. L. Stapleton moved that when conference adjourned it adjourn to meet at 3 o'clock. The motion was adopted.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Brown.



### Afternoon Session

Conference convened at 3 p. m. and after song and prayer questions 5 to 10 were asked and properly answered. (See Disciplinary Report.)

**Referred.** On motion of F. D. Watson, O. A. Lawson was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations with a view to retirement and on motion of J. M. Hampton, E. M. Boyd was referred in the same way.

**Committee Reports.** Solon McNeese read the report from the Committee on Temperance, which was adopted and conference directed that a copy be sent to the Governor of Tennessee. The report of the Committee on Social Service was read by W. C. Daniels and the report of the Auditing Committee by L. R. Hite. Both were adopted by the conference. (See Reports.)

**Commercial Audit.** W. M. Dye moved that the Trustees of the Preacher's Aid Society be directed to employ a commercial auditor to audit the books and records of G. F. Lockmiller, treasurer of the society and that an attorney also be employed to investigate the titles of property held by the society. The motion was adopted.

**Question 42.** The secretary called the names of the retired ministers, their characters were passed and all were continued in the same relation.

**Referred.** R. L. Stapleton moved that the case of Mrs. M. B. Gass, wife of a deceased Accepted Supply Pastor, be referred to the Board of Stewards. The motion was adopted.

**Lay President.** The Bishop introduced Dr. J. Q. A. West, newly elected president of the Laymen's Association.

**Bonds.** W. M. Dye moved that all treasurers and those holding the money of the conference be required to place the bonds in the hands of the secretary of the conference and that the amount of each bond and the name of the Bonding Company be recorded in the conference journal. The motion was adopted.

**Question 44.** Who are the triers of appeals? J. L. Chaney, W. K. Harris, W. L. Pickering, R. C. Elzey and E. N. Tarpley. Reserves, R. L. Stapleton and Solon McNeese.

**Journal.** R. L. Stapleton moved that the conference journal be adopted without further reading and that the journal be adopted as a whole and made the official record of the conference.

**Motion for Final Adjournment.** J. M. Melear moved that, on Sunday evening, after devotional exercises and the reading of the appointments the conference stand adjourned without day. The motion was adopted.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by W. M. Dye.

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### CONFERENCE SUNDAY

#### Love Feast

At 9:30 A. M. Dr. G. T. Francisco conducted the Annual Love Feast in the main auditorium of the Second Methodist Episcopal

Church. Ministers, lay members, and visitors enjoyed together the fellowship of song, prayer, and testimony.

### **Morning Worship**

At the regular morning hour of worship at 10:30 A. M. Bishop Wallace E. Brown delivered an exceptionally strong and uplifting sermon to a congregation which filled the church auditorium and overflowed into other rooms of the church plant where loud speakers conveyed the message to those who gathered there to listen and worship with those of the main audience.

### **Ordination Service**

At the ordination service, held at 2:30 P. M. the Bishop ordained as Deacons, Charles E. Palmer, William L. Roberts and Oliver R. Tarwater, Jr.

Assisted by the District Superintendents and other Elders, the Bishop ordained as Elders, William F. Barber, Frank C. Mason, Charlie D. Mehaffey, Charles E. Pickering and Charles W. Dye.

**Question 41.** Who are the Supernumerary Ministers? E. C. Paustian was continued in the Supernumerary Relation.

**Question 45** was asked and properly answered. (See Disciplinary Questions.)

### **Evening Worship and Final Adjournment**

After the evening message by Dr. Raymond Huse the Bishop occupied the chair for the closing session.

**Complimentary Resolutions.** The report of the committee on resolutions was read by Walter A. Smith and adopted by the conference.

**Devotional Exercises.** After the worship of song, G. J. Creswell led in prayer. Bishop Brown addressed the conference, read the appointments and pronounced the benediction.

*Wallace E. Brown*

President.

*Oliver R. Tarwater*

Secretary.





## CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that this volume is a complete record of the proceedings of the Ninety-fourth Session of the Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and is adopted by the Conference as its official record.

OLIVER R. TARWATER, Secretary.

## DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

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The Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in Knoxville, Tenn., from October 13 to October 17, 1937. Bishop Wallace E. Brown, presiding. Secretary, O. R. Tarwater; Statistician, Cicero Dobbs, Rogersville, Tenn.; Treasurer, W. F. Pitts, Sevierville, Tenn.; Registrar, W. R. Curtis, Knoxville, Tenn.

### A. UNITED SESSION

1. Who are the members of the Lay Conference present and who are its officers?

President: J. A. Grigsby, White Horn, Tennessee.

Secretary: F. T. Meacham, Chattanooga Bank Building, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

2. Is the Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?

It is.

3. What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are Bonded, and in what Amounts, According to the Requirement of the Discipline?

G. F. Lockmiller, \$45,000.00; Herman Ferger, \$10,000.00; W. F. Pitts, \$10,000.00; W. M. Dye, \$5,000.00.

4. What are the Statistical and Financial Reports for the year?

(a) From the Statistician. See Statistical Report.

(b) From the Treasurer, See Treasurer's Report.

(c) Other items. See reports.

5. What are the Items and Aggregate of General Conference Benevolences apportioned to this Conference?

World Service, 2,408 units; Episcopal Fund, 2½ per cent of Pastor's Salary; General Administration Fund, \$794.00.

(b) What amounts are fixed by this body as the minimum goals for General Conference Benevolences for the ensuing year?

2,408 Units.

6. What Reports and Exhibits are presented by Conference Boards and Institutions?

See Report of Board of Education.

7. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

8. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

9. What are the Claims on Conference Funds?

**10. (a) What has been received on these Claims?**

From the Chartered Fund, \$60.00; From Annual Conference Investments, \$2,793; From Pastoral Charges, \$10,052; From other sources, \$400.00; Total, \$13,305.00.

**(b) How has it been Applied?**

See Report of Board of Stewards.

**11. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?**

**12. What are the Items and Aggregate of Annual Conference Benevolences approved by this body for the ensuing year?**

**13. What approved financial campaigns are to be carried on in this Conference during the ensuing year, and for what amounts?**

**14. What is the schedule of Minimum Support?**  
\$1,000.00.

**15. What are the approved claims for the support of District Superintendents, Bishops, and Conference Claimants for the ensuing year?**

District Superintendents, 10 per cent. Bishops, 2½ per cent. Conference Claimants, \$.....

**16. What shall be the Evangelistic and Religious Educational Plan for the ensuing year?**

**17. What Standing Committees shall be appointed by this body?**

Evangelism, Temperance, Resolutions, Social Service, Nominations.

**18. What other items of business shall be considered by this United Session?**

**19. Where shall the Next Session of the Conference be held?**  
First Church, Knoxville.

**B. ANNUAL CONFERENCE SESSION**

**20. Who have had their Credentials Restored without readmission to the Conference?**

**21. Who have been Received by Transfer? and from what Conferences?**

Wallace F. Fowler, Alabama.  
Wilbur L. Hart, Blue Ridge-Atlantic.  
John Baxter Howes, Kentucky.  
Arthur B. Pierce, Central New York.  
Kirk Waldo Robbins, Newark.

**22. Who have been Readmitted?**

None.

**23. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?**  
None.

**24. Who have been Received on Trial?**

**(a) In Studies of First Year.**

Edgar Eldridge, '37.  
J. Dan Gibson, '37.  
Rowland Hall, '37.  
R. Frank Porter, Jr., '37.  
Clyde N. Rogers, '37.  
Carroll Skeene, '37.

**(b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule.**

None.

**(c) Exempt from Course of Study under Seminary Rule.**

Charles E. Palmer, '37.  
Oliver R. Tarwater, Jr., '37.

**25. Who have been Continued on Trial?**

**(a) In studies of First Year.**

Harold Harris, '36.  
Frank E. Trotter, '35.  
Roy T. Wampler, '35.  
John M. Watkins, '35.

**(b) In Studies of Second Year.**

John S. Deck, '35.

**26. Who have been Discontinued?**

**27. Who have been admitted into Full Membership?**

**(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.**

Charles Dye.  
Charles M. Turner.

**(c) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere.**

None.

**(d) Ordained Deacon, having been previously elected by.....  
Conference.**

None.

**28. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**

**(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.**

Horace N. Barker.  
Frank T. Branson.  
Buford G. Keebler.  
Robert C. Sharp.  
James B. Wilson.

**29. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**

Ralph E. Cline.  
Perry T. Rule.

**30. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

**(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.**

William F. Barber.  
Frank C. Mason.  
Charlie D. Mehaffey.  
Charles E. Pickering.

**(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.**

**(c) Elected and Ordained Elders under the Seminary Rule.**

Charles W. Dye.

**(d) Elected to be Ordained elsewhere.**

None.

**(e) Ordained Elder, having been previously elected by.....  
Conference.**

None.

**(f) Ordained Elder elsewhere under our Election.**

None.

**31. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**

**(a) As Local Preachers.**

William L. Roberts.

**(b) Under Seminary Rule.**

Charles E. Palmer.  
Oliver R. Tarwater, Jr.

**(c) Under Missionary Rule.**

**(d) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere.**

**32. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**

None.

**33. Who have been left without Appointment to Attend One of our Schools?**

James B. Wilson  
W. L. Russell  
Horace N. Barker

R. C. Sharp  
Roy T. Wampler  
R. Frank Porter, Jr.

**34. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?**

Yes.

**35. Who are accepted as Supply Pastors?**

W. L. Roberts  
G. F. Cox  
D. T. Jones  
E. F. Wood  
John Babb  
Alden Eddy  
S. S. Kregger  
W. H. Quarry  
H. H. Leonard  
C. L. Poulston  
C. E. Duncan  
B. M. Gibson

A. L. Addington  
John W. Atkinson  
M. Russell Leedy  
W. J. Camphor  
Malcomb Jollay  
N. D. Dickens  
Arnold A. Vermillion  
Michael Latham  
Charles Lai Lee  
A. J. Ledford  
Wm. Dean B. Gillespie

**36. (a) What Accepted Supply Pastors now in charge are taking  
The Conference Course of Study?**

**1. In the First Year.**

G. F. Cox ('36).  
Newton Dickens ('37).  
B. M. Gibson ('33).  
Bovard Gilespe ('37).  
D. T. Jones ('32).  
M. Russell Leedy ('37).

**2. In the Second Year.**

None.

**3. In the Third Year.**

Alden Eddy ('35).  
W. L. Roberts ('32).  
**4. In the Fourth Year.**  
J. W. Atkinson.  
W. H. Quarry ('34).

**II. The Local Preachers' Course of Study?**

**1. In the First Year.**

**2. In the Second Year.**

**3. In the Third Year.**

**4. In the Fourth Year.**

**(b) Was the character of each Accepted Supply Pastor now in charge examined?**

Yes.

**(c) I. Are the District Committees on Qualifications of Local Preachers nominated by the District Superintendents approved?**

**(c) II. What Local Preachers have completed satisfactorily the studies prescribed?**

**1. For Deacan's Orders.**

William L. Roberts.

**2. For Elder's Orders.**

None.

**37. Who have been Transferred, and to What Conferences?**

Frank E. Trotter (Member on trial). Newark. T. H. Mackintosh, Central N. Y.

**38. Who have Died?**

W. L. Oliver.

**39. Who have had their Conference Membership terminated?**

**(a) By Voluntary Location.**

None.

**(3) By Involuntary Location.**

H. W. McDonald.

**(c) By Surrender of the Ministerial Office and Credentials.**

None.

**(d) By Judicial Procedure.**

Timothy V. Peters, expelled from the Ministry and Membership of the Church.

**(e) By Withdrawal.**

(1) To Join the Ministry of another Church.

(2) From the Ministry.

(3) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church.

(4) Under Complaints or Charges.

**40. What other personal Notations should be made?**

**41. Who are the Supernumerary Members and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?**

H. C. Coleman (1).

E. C. Paustian (2).

**42. Who are the Retired Ministers?**

J. H. Amis

S. P. Angel

G. S. Bales

W. S. Bandy

J. T. Bird

J. W. Boling

E. M. Boyd

J. W. Cardwell

P. L. Clonce

L. B. Clarke

I. L. Cox

M. N. Davenport

J. H. Ford

G. T. Francisco

W. A. Graybeal

J. D. Harris

H. M. Hawk

R. M. Huff

A. C. Ketron

D. T. Lawson

O. A. Lawson

I. B. Leonard

R. L. Leslie

G. W. Matney

A. B. McKewsie

J. M. Melear

C. W. Miller

James Osborne

E. M. Pippin

G. R. Rowan

F. P. Sanders

M. L. Sivils

D. C. Slagle

E. C. Thurston

H. M. Torrey

R. E. Walker

G. W. Woodward

**43. Who have been granted Leave of Absence?**

None.

**44. Who are the Triers of Appeals?**

J. L. Chaney, W. K. Harris, W. L. Pickering, R. C. Elzey, E. N. Tarpley. Reserves: R. L. Stapleton, Solon McNeese.

**45. What institutions and organizations are approved by three-quarters vote of the Conference for appointment of Ministers in the Effective Relation with Annuity Claim?**

**46. Where are the Preachers Stationed?**

See List of Appointments.



## APPOINTMENTS

Figures indicate years of service. ‡ Undergraduates. \* Supply

### BRISTOL DISTRICT

District Superintendent, F. D. Watson (4), 831 Windsor Avenue,  
Bristol, Tenn.

Name of Charge	Pastor	Address:
Bristol, First Church—J. E. Milburn (1)	.....	839 Windsor Ave., Bristol, Tenn.
Bristol Circuit—*M. Russell Leedy (1)	.....	Bristol, Tenn.
Christiansburg—G. C. Smith (2)	.....	Christiansburg, Va.
Clinch Valley—To be supplied.		
Floyd—N. A. Conner (2)	.....	Simpson, Va.
Fries—*M. D. Fleenor (2)	.....	Fries, Va.
Greendale and Glenford—‡John S. Deck (3)	.....	R.F.D. Abingdon, Va.
Hilton—*C. L. Poulston (5)	.....	Hilton, Va.
Marion—E. L. Bowyer (2)	.....	Marion, Va.
Nickelsville—*S. H. Kreger (1)	.....	Nickelsville, Va.
Pattonsville and Gate City—*C. E. Duncan (3)	.....	Pattonsville, Va.
Radford—C. W. Dye (1)	.....	Radford, Va.
Riner—*G. W. Woodward (2)	.....	Riner, Va.
Roanoke—First Church—E. N. Tarpley (8)	.....	Tazewell Ave. S. E. Roanoke, Va.
Roanoke, Villa Heights—Supplied by *W. H. Lewis (1)		
Associate, *C. H. Wickham (1)	.....	Roanoke, Va.
Rose Hill—*W. H. Quarry (2)	.....	Rose Hill, Va.
Jonesville—To be supplied.		
Russell—To be supplied.		
St. Charles—M. H. Rambo (1)	.....	St. Charles, Va.
Salem—C. H. Ely (3)	.....	Salem, Va.
Wytheville—S. N. Eblen (5)	.....	Wytheville, Va.

### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

District Superintendent, E. C. Wareing (2), Patten Memorial  
Parish House, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Name of Charge	Pastor	Address:
Athens—First Church—R. F. Porter (2)	.....	Athens, Tenn.
Athens Parish—*Newton Dickens (1)	.....	Athens, Tenn.
Cleveland:		
First Church—W. H. Ragan (1)	.....	Cleveland, Tenn.
Parish No. 1—*Malcom Jollay (1)	.....	Cleveland, Tenn.
Parish No. 2—B. G. Keebler (2)	.....	R. F. D., Cleveland, Tenn.
Big Springs—C. H. Taylor (2)	.....	Cleveland, Tenn.
Chattanooga:		
Alton Park—R. R. Ghormley (2)	.....	4504 Highland Ave.
Avondale—Charles Holliday (6)	.....	1705 Miller Ave.
East Ridge—Jones Memorial—*D. T. Jones (11)	.....	Center St.
Fairmont—Wallace F. Fowler (1)		
First Church—F. A. Hamilton (2)	.....	Patten Memorial Parish House
Highland Park—J. M. Hampton (1)	.....	1905 Bailey Ave.



Manker Memorial—J. F. Gilbert (3).....	3116 Wheeler St.
Red Bank—R. C. Elzey (4).....	Red Bank Station
Ridgedale—W. M. Grier (1) .....	1510 Ringgold Road
St. James—G. E. Blanchard (6) .....	1612 Read Ave.
St. Marks—W. C. Daniels (4) .....	600 Eleanor St.
Coalmont Parish—To Be Supplied.	
Copper Hill—J. F. Rowe (5) .....	Copper Hill, Tenn.
Daisy Parish—†John M. Watkins (2) .....	Daisy, Tenn.
Englewood and Tellico Plains—J. M. Ball (2).....	Englewood, Tenn.
Etowah—E. E. Cavaleri (2) .....	Etowah, Tenn.
Etowah Parish—*A. C. Ketron (1) .....	Athens, Tenn.
North Athens and Niota—R. H. Thames (1) .....	Athens, Tenn.
Soddy—E. C. Trentham (5) .....	Soddy, Tenn.
South Pittsburg—†Edgar Eldridge (1).....	South Pittsburg, Tenn.
Sequatchie Parish—†Rowland Hall (1)	

## HARRIMAN DISTRICT

District Superintendent, R. L. Stapleton (1), Harriman, Tenn.

Name of Charge	Pastor	Address:
Beaver Ridge and Solway—W. H. Graves (2).....	Byington, Tenn.	
Clinton—W. L. Pickering (5) .....	Clinton, Tenn.	
Crossville—W. F. Barber (2) .....	Crossville, Tenn.	
Dayton—G. T. Byrd (2) .....	Dayton, Tenn.	
Decatur and Erie Circuit—*B. M. Gibson (2) .....	Peawland, Tenn.	
Graysville—†Ralph E. Cline (2) .....	Graysville, Tenn.	
Harriman—Arthur B. Pierce (1) .....	Harriman, Tenn.	
Heiskell—L. E. Kilgore (1) .....	Andersonville, Tenn.	
Jacksboro and Newcomb—*E. M. Boyd (1) .....	Jacksboro, Tenn.	
Jellico—D. W. Donaldson (2) .....	Jellico, Tenn.	
Kingston—M. F. Goss (2) .....	Kingston, Tenn.	
LaFollette—D. W. Jenkins (1) .....	LaFollette, Tenn.	
Lenoir City—T. O. Marshall (1) .....	Lenoir City, Tenn.	
Loudon—S. A. Hopper (1) .....	Loudon, Tenn.	
Maynardville—J. F. Lynch (8) .....	Maynardville, Tenn.	
New Tazewell—†D. P. Denton (2) .....	New Tazewell, Tenn.	
Oakdale—C. R. Athearn (4) .....	Oakdale, Tenn.	
Oliver Springs—*J. D. Babb (1) .....	Oliver Springs, Tenn.	
Oneida—O. R. Tarwater, Jr. (1) .....	Oneida, Tenn.	
Patten Community Center—C. B. White (1).....	Pikeville, Tenn.	
Rockwood—F. H. Carey (2) .....	Rockwood, Tenn.	
Sunbright and Burrville—J. L. Cupp (2) .....	Sunbright, Tenn.	
Vine Grove—*E. F. Wood (2) .....	Dayton, Tenn.	
Wells Spring—Enos Wagner (2) .....	LaFollette, Tenn.	

## JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

District Superintendent, W. E. Bishop (1), 719 W. Pine Street,  
Johnson City, Tennessee.

Name of Charge	Pastor	Address:
Baileyton—J. F. Coldwell (2) .....	Baileyton, Tenn.	
Chuckey—W. C. Winslow (6) .....	Chuckey, Tenn.	
Cosby Parish—*John House (1) *W. J. Compher (1).....	Cosby, Tenn.	
Elizabethhton—W. K. Harris (1) .....	Elizabethhton, Tenn.	
Elizabethhton Circuit—*H. H. Leonard (7).....	R. F. D., Johnson City, Tenn.	
Fall Branch—*Carroll Skeen (3).....	R. F. D., Fordtown, Tenn.	

Greeneville—D. B. Cooper (4)	Greeneville, Tenn.
Greeneville Circuit—Clyde N. Rogers (1)	Greeneville, Tenn.
Johnson City—K. W. Robbins (1)	Johnson City, Tenn.
Johnson City Circuit—D. L. Howell (3)	Johnson City, Tenn.
Kingsport—M. M. Moore (5)	Kingsport, Tenn.
Kingsport Circuit—John H. Meyers (2)	R. F. D., Kingsport, Tenn.
Limestone—G. W. Atkinson (1)	Limestone, Tenn.
Lynn Garden and Morrison's—*A. L. Addington (2)	Kingsport, Tenn.
Morristown—D. L. Jones (2)	Morristown, Tenn.
Morristown Circuit—J. M. Dew (1)	R. F. D., Morristown, Tenn.
Mosheim—W. H. Johnson (4)	Mosheim, Tenn.
Mountain City Parish—W. F. Ledford (2)	Mountain City, Tenn.
Newport—J. L. Chaney (3)	Newport, Tenn.
Parrottsville—J. F. Reed (10)	Parrottsville, Tenn.
Pittman Center—John Baxter Howes (1)	R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
Rogersville—Cicero Dobbs (3)	Rogersville, Tenn.
*A. F. Ledford (1)	
Rutledge—*John W. Atkinson (1)	Rutledge, Tenn.
Sulphur Springs—I. G. Crowder (4)	R. F. D., Jonesboro, Tenn.
Surgoinsville—E. G. Gillespie (4)	Surgoinsville, Tenn.
Telford—Charlie D. Mehaffey (3)	Telford, Tenn.

### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

District Superintendent, E. H. Ogle (1), First M. E. Church,  
Knoxville, Tennessee.

Name of Charge	Pastor	Address:
Alcoa—Glenn Lippse (1)		Alcoa, Tenn.
Asbury—*G. F. Cox (2)	303 Quincy Ave.,	Knoxville, Tenn.
Chestnut Hill—E. W. Pelleaux (4)	Route 1,	Dandridge, Tenn.
Dandridge—A. W. Thompson (3)		Dandridge, Tenn.
Fair Garden—R. M. Huff (3)		Pigeon Forge, Tenn.
M. H. Latham (1)		
Friendsville—G. L. Shupe (2)		Friendsville, Tenn.
Jefferson City—R. E. Walker (2)		Greeneville, Tenn.
Knoxville:		
Burlington—W. M. Bull (8)	615 Fern St.,	Knoxville, Tenn.
East Main Ave.—C. M. Turner (2)	1247 East Main Ave.	
First Church—J. Homer Slutz (2)		First M. E. Church
Inskip—*W. L. Roberts (1)		Inskip, Tenn.
Lonsdale—W. C. Martin (2)	307 Catherine Ave.	
Oakwood—C. B. Tarwater (2)	312 Burwell Ave.	
Park City—Solon McNeese (2)	2534 Jefferson Ave.	
Second Church—G. J. Creswell (18)	1121 Western Ave.	
J. A. King (2).		
South Knoxville—F. T. Branson (2)	202 Highland Drive	
Trinity—W. A. Smith (6)		Trinity M. E. Church
Vestal—W. R. Curtis (3)		1827 Vestal Ave.
Whittle Springs—A. J. Murphy (2)	105 Pembroke Ave.	
Knoxville Circuit—F. C. Mason (2)	Rt. 12, Fountain City,	Tenn.
Little River Circuit—†Perry T. Rule (2)	R.F.D.,	Maryville, Tenn.
Maryville—O. R. Tarwater (7)		Maryville, Tenn.
Maryville Circuit—C. E. Pickering (2)	R.F.D.,	Maryville, Tenn.
New Salem—W. E. O. Robeson (1)	R.F.D. 13,	Knoxville, Tenn.
Pigeon Forge—C. V. Bellamy (1)		Pigeon Forge, Tenn.
Sevierville—W. F. Pitts (1)		Sevierville, Tenn.
Sevierville Circuit—W. L. Hart (2)	R. F. D.,	Sevierville, Tenn.
Thorn Grove—L. B. Clarke (1)	Route 1,	Straw Plains, Tenn.
Townsend—*J. Dan Gibson (1)		Townsend, Tenn.

## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

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- J. W. Broyles, Professor of Philosophy, Hamline University, Quarterly Conference Membership, First Church, Knoxville.
- J. S. Burnett, Superintendent Southern Highlands Division, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Quarterly Conference Membership, First Church, Chattanooga.
- R. A. Kilburn, Professor Religious Education and Sociology, University of Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference Membership, First Church, Chattanooga.
- William M. Dye, Field Secretary and Treasurer of Reserve Pension Fund; Quarterly Conference Membership, Etowah.
- H. G. Williamson, Director of Religious Education; Member of Etowah Quarterly Conference.
- Godfrey Tietze, Professor of Bible, University of Chattanooga, Member of First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.
- Luther Flynn, Director of Pittman Center; Quarterly Conference Membership, Pittman Community Center.
- Chas. E. Palmer, Teacher in Pittman Community Center; Quarterly Conference Membership, Pittman Community Center.
- Orville L. Davis, Dean of Leonard School of Theology, Jubbulpore, India; Quarterly Conference Membership at Community Methodist Church, Jubbulpore.
- W. D. Wilkinson, Conference Evangelist; Quarterly Conference Membership Oakwood, M. E. Church, Knoxville.
- C. F. Lucas, Loaned to Methodist Episcopal Church, South.
- Left without appointment to attend school: Frank E. Trotter, Harold Harris, Jas. B. Wilson, R. C. Sharp, W. L. Russell, Roy T. Wampler, Horace N. Barker and R. Frank Porter, Jr.

## REPORTS

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### COMPOSITE REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS OF THE HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO THE NINETY-FOURTH SESSION, HELD AT KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE, OCTOBER 13, 1937.

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First of all, we wish to express our most sincere gratitude to God for His unbounded love and our unmerited blessings. For the opportunity of another year of life to labor for the salvation of immortal souls, and for the success that has attended our activities to extend the Kingdom of God in Holston Conference and throughout the world.

#### Our Sainted Dead

As always, death has invaded our ranks. This year the following servants of God have departed to be forever with their Lord: Rev. W. L. Oliver, Rev. J. C. Ragan, Mrs. J. J. Robinette, Mrs. G. T. Newcomb, Mrs. E. A. Bishop, Mrs. C. W. Miller, Mrs. J. M. Dew, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Shupe and Rev. M. B. Gass. "Servants of God, well done, the battle is fought, the victory won and thou art crowned at last."

#### The Spiritual Achievements of the Year 1937

The most important and encouraging phase of our work in the Holston Conference this year, is the great emphasis that has been placed upon the central purpose of the Christian church—the salvation of immortal souls, and in the reclaiming of backsliders. The fire of evangelism has burned brightly upon the altars of our church. By historic heritage, we should excell in the field of Evangelism—the redemption of sinners was the Divine characteristic of early Methodism. This should be the distinctive feature of our great church today. If we fail in this field of endeavor, we lose the mighty arm of power, in extending the kingdom of God among men.

Effective service has been rendered and excellent results accomplished, by the pastors exchanging cooperatively in doing their revival work. We, the District Superintendents, recommend the extension and continuation of this type of work within the bounds of the conference.

Approximately 2,300 have been saved and approximate 2,000 members have been added to the church membership during the year 1937.

Despite the many additions to the church, some Districts will show a slight decrease in membership, due to a thorough revision of faulty church records. We should continue the careful and lawful revision of church records, for the records of church membership in Holston Conference are in a very inaccurate condition. Nevertheless, we believe the finished report will show a healthy gain in membership.

#### Material Progress

It seems inadvisable to report the improvements of each charge



and church in the conference separately, it would be possible to mention the major improvements, but we deem this unfair to the churches which have labored faithfully, but have made only minor improvements. Suffice it to say, that a majority of the pastoral charges have made some improvement, either by building a new church or parsonage, or in reconditioning, remodeling, or redecorating the old ones. Other churches have installed a pipe organ, heating plant, or added new Sunday school rooms. Still others have bought lots upon which to build new churches, or to re-locate the present church and parsonage buildings.

The total amount spent on improvements and paid on old indebtedness is approximately one hundred thousand dollars.

### **Work of Organizations and Other Christian Activities**

The District Schools in Christian living have become a fixture in all the Districts. These schools have been the best ever this year. They are doing a splendid piece of work in training the youth of the Conference for Christian leadership. The work of these schools is highly commendable, and will be of inestimable value to the future of the church.

The experts of religious education have decided that the only way to make their programme a success, is for the pastor and lay leaders of individual churches, to set up their own program of leadership training. Many such leadership training classes have been functioning in different churches this year. This plan seems to be a wise one.

Daily Vacational Bible Schools have been conducted throughout the Conference and encouraging reports have been announced, telling of their success.

The advanced leadership training school, held at Athens each year, is doing excellent work in training leaders for doing special Christian work in the various districts. Rev. H. G. Williamson, the Director of Religious Education in the Holston Conference, deserves much credit in promoting the above activities in the Conference.

The Ladies Aid Societies, Home and Foreign Missionary Societies, and the Laymen's Association, have all been active and have accomplished a fine piece of work. We simply could not get along without the splendid work of the good women and laymen.

Our school of ministerial training, being held at Athens, is doing a much needed work in preparing our ministers, who have not had the advantage of a college and seminary education, for a more effective ministry. We commend the work of this school and express our appreciation for its director, R. A. Kilburn.

### **Colleges and Universities**

The two educational institutions within the bounds of the district, "The University of Chattanooga" and "Tennessee Wesleyan" command our highest respect and call for our enthusiastic support. The University of Chattanooga is growing in student body and civic influence. Under the leadership of President Alex Guerry is maintained a moral standard that holds the institution far above the reproach of the most critical. Tennessee Wesleyan under the leadership of Dr. James L. Robb was never in better financial condition. The student body is growing and the quality of the work in behalf of the church

and Christian education is of high character. As a Junior College, it is commanding the respect of the world of education and its president is recognized as one of the most outstanding leaders of Junior Colleges of the country.

### **World Service**

The total results of the Million Unit Fellowship Campaign in the Holston Conference are very gratifying. A more intense educational and spiritual effort should be put forth in the interest of this worthy cause next conference year. This campaign ought to specialize in the development of the spiritual life of the people, making that the basis of increased missionary giving. This will continue a great step forward in the progress of Methodism. The grand total of world Service monies collected this year will show a decided advance over last year.

### **The Retired Minister's Campaign**

We are greatly disappointed in not reaching the goal set for a more adequate support for retired ministers. We still believe it could have been accomplished had all concerned used the limit of their ability to make this worthy dream come true. Dr. William M. Dye and his good wife deserve our eternal gratitude and thanks for their labor and generosity in promoting this great cause. Rev. Alden Eddy has been busy in a follow-up campaign during the Conference year and has done a commendable piece of work in the interest of the retired Ministers fund.

### **State and Future of the Church Historic Beginnings of Methodism**

During the middle and latter part of the 18th century, a great spiritual awakening swept across England and Wales. Quite a few historians credit this renewal of interest in religion, of saving England from a Civil War or a revolution similar to that which drenched France with human blood.

This revival of religion was the mother of Methodism. The first love, and the one great passion of the early Methodists, was the salvation, not only of England her colonies, but of the entire world. The new converts were dominated by two dynamic motives: holiness of heart and the Salvation of sinners.

### **Spread and Organization of the Early Revival Movement**

The movement spread over England and leaped across the world like an uncontrollable prairie fire. For many years billows of salvation, like ocean waves, rolled across the hearts of men. The Wesleyan Revival culminated in the organization of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which eventually became one of the greatest spiritual forces known to modern civilization.

### **Type of Character In Infant Church**

As long as Methodism remained true to her first love and lofty purpose, she prospered. God filled her heart with a divine power which was irresistible. Her communicants possessed an experience of salvation that was irrepressible, full of a holy zeal and unbounded enthusiasm. They went about doing good, spreading the Gospel of good news, giving a living testimony of the saving power of a risen Lord. They were noted for their steadfastness and triumphant faith,

their courage in the face of prosecution, poverty, and death. The adversities of pioneer civilization could not quench their undaunted spirit or dim the glow of their burning hearts.

### **Influences That Have Affected the Life of the Church**

Let us turn from the glorious and triumphant past of Methodism and look upon the status of our beloved church today. One fact looms up like a mountain peak above the plain. It humiliates us deeply and should humble us in sack-cloth and ashes of a true repentance. When Methodism increased greatly in numbers, and became rich in worldly goods, her spiritual power and passion somewhat diminished. She has neglected to emphasize the prophetic message, ceased to preach her great doctrines, turned somewhat from her one great passion and lofty purpose, the salvation of souls and spreading of scriptural holiness across the world, and has become entangled and bogged down in a misplaced emphasis of a social gospel, religious education, over-organization, and a program of church building beyond her ability to pay. Because her spiritual life has not kept pace with her material and educational progress.

### **Some of the Influences of a Changing Social and Economic Order**

These things have created such a spirit and burden and taken so much of our time, ability, and energy, that it has dimmed the glow and cooled the warmth of our first passion and love. We have lost much of joyful spirit and triumphant aggressive faith. Thank God for the encouraging fact that the fires of religion have not been completely extinguished upon the altars of our beloved Methodism. But we have permitted a critical, scientific, modernistic theology, so-called, and a changing economic order to effectively bank the fires of religion upon the altar of our churches. It has also weakened our faith in that extra supernatural, divine element in religion, which is the birthright of Methodism, and by which Jesus performed all His miracles and used in all His ministry.

### **Wisdom and Foresight of the Founders of Methodism**

If you covet a better understanding of the existing conditions in Methodism and Protestantism, ponder the wisdom and foresight of the founders and organizers of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Professor Lavens M. Thomas II, of Emory University, has discovered that in the first Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church, adopted by the first Conference at which the Church was organized, December 27, 1784, there appeared this advice on church buildings: "Let all churches be built plain and decent, and with free seats, but not more expensive than is absolutely unavoidable, otherwise the necessity of raising money will make rich men necessary to us, but, if so, we must be dependent upon them, yea, and be governed by them, and then farewell to Methodist Discipline, if not Methodist doctrine too." (Discipline, 1788, p. 35). That statement remained in the Discipline for 82 years, then the penetrating statement on the possible effect of expensive church buildings dropped out.

### **Prophecy of Church Fathers Fulfilled**

Another statement approximately 71 years later will reveal the edifying fact that the prophecy of the organizers of the Methodist Episcopal church, has been fulfilled in our day. The statement is as follows: "Three years ago Dr. Edgar DeWitt Jones described a walk down that notable street of churches, Woodard Avenue, Detroit.



He singled out six churches located within ten blocks, and says, that their financial burdens and struggles 'illustrate the tragedy of Protestantism.' "This quotation makes very plain that the burden on churches, typical of thousands throughout the country, are primarily burdens of self-maintenance and debt services." Is not this true in the Methodist Episcopal church? If I am not mistaken, in a statement to me, this year, from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, there is over two thousand such churches calling for aid at the present time. This condition presents a delicate and dangerous situation. The heart-breaking and paralyzing financial struggles have greatly dampened the spiritual life of many churches and have left little time and energy, to preach the gospel and minister to the salvation of sinners, or to nurture and enrich Christian character.

### **Course of Action In Present Day Problems**

A halt must be called: The time is ripe to go back reasonably, in a sensible way, to the wisdom and advice of the founders of Methodism. That means that we build no church beyond our ability to pay. We must realize the folly of placing our financial responsibility beyond the permanent development of our people, in the grace of giving. If we burden the laity beyond their vision and growth in Christian character and in the grace of giving or tax them beyond their vision and experience, then we shall be guilty in a religious sense, as were the bankers and business men in a financial sense, in their wild cat investments in 1929—and we cannot expect any other result in religion, than what happened in business and brought the greatest depression in the history of America. "The heart of the whole matter, and nothing in the world so vitally affects the future of the Christian church—is that so easily the church can become involved in the established order of things in the social and economic world that it finds any kind of effective protest against the evils of that system increasingly difficult".

The church is not compelled by the force of circumstances to surrender its principles, but it must depend upon wealth and the established order for support, and if the established social and economic order is not motivated by Christian principles, there is a grave danger that the church will become a part of the very thing it should struggle against. That is exactly what has happened in present world conditions. Perhaps here we discover the reason for much of the distrust of laboring men and labor leaders concerning the church.

The underlying philosophy of the present social system is not much different, from the distilled piece of prudence, "Don't bite the hand it should struggle against. That is exactly what has happened in often such an increase in prudence that the Church's lips are sealed even in the presence of a glaring wrong. The result is an ironical anti-climax of having built a magnificent place in which to say something and then have nothing to say. What shall it profit a church to gain the whole world of Gothic arches and stained glass windows and lose its voice!" The church must be made free from this insidious octopus or its life and future success is in great danger.

### **The Content Of The Gospel Has Been Enlarged**

It has become increasingly difficult to preach the gospel in our day, because the content of the gospel has advanced beyond the stage of just "Good News." We are now reading in social justice, destruction of the whiskey traffic, outlawing child labor, demanding



honesty and fairness in politics, and a living wage for all. The underlying reason that makes it difficult to preach the gospel today,—is that the social and economic order is motivated by selfish impulses and principles that are contrary to the plain teaching of Christ.

Christian people are a part of this self-centered social and economic order, woven into it like the different threads of a garment. They do not, cannot, live alone. They are part and parcel of the whole fabric. Many are dissatisfied with their compromising position, but the necessity of a livelihood makes them subservient unwillingly to a selfish and unchristian system. Others knowingly or ignorantly practice the old Hedenistic philosophy of life! "Eat, drink, and be merry today, for tomorrow you may die." No use to worry and struggle against the system and be penalized; "when in Rome, do as the Romans."

In the church are men and women whose business and business methods are in direct opposition to the plain principles of the Sermon on the Mount. There are also, wealthy and well to do members, who in many instances, carry the main financial burden of the Church, who are ignorant of the true meaning of the gospel of Christ. Their religion consists of a form of godliness, but their life deny the true principles and power thereof. The success of the Church is endangered because too often the worldly minded people are permitted to control and dictate the policies of the church.

#### **The Effect Of A Selfish Economic And Social Order Upon The Laity And Ministry Of The Church**

It is nothing more than natural and human, that the influence of a selfish social and economic order, will be carried over into the christian church. The laity and ministry of the church are human. It is not any wonder then, that an intelligent minister, who is conscious of the fact that if he does not use diplomacy and tact, he will endanger his living, popularity, and what the world calls success. Under such pressure, many ministers are tempted too, and do tone down a virile Gospel message. Is this not the great curse of the ministry and church in our day? For God to use a layman or a minister effectively, in building the kingdom of God on earth, there must be utter and complete abandonment, without fear of the consequences, to the principles for which Christ gave his life and shed his most precious blood. Too many ministers and church members have chosen the primrose path of least resistance and yielded to the selfish motive for position, honor, and a comfortable living. Perhaps here is discovered the reason why many wealthy churches, magnificently equipped, whose budgets are scaled from five thousand to a hundred thousand dollars, yet report not a single soul saved at Annual Conference. If souls are born into the kingdom of God, minister and laymen must suffer the birth-pangs of redemption, otherwise no souls are born anew.

The lonely path of service which Jesus trod thru all his ministry, was one without a home and home comforts. Christ himself said that the birds and animals were housed better than he. The rough road of doing good and laboring for the salvation of men, which Jesus traveled, wended its way thru Gethsemane and ended in an agonizing thorn-crowned death on Calvary. Even after most two thousand years has rolled by, most men find it impossible to think kindly of Judas who betrayed the Christ. Yet, in our age, there is

little shame attached to the layman or minister, who seeks first a comfortable home, a prominent church, popularity, social prominence, and sometimes more than an adequate financial security.

But this is not the most serious part of the matter. Laymen and ministers are justifying this Philosophy of life by saying, it is the psychology of getting along with people. Did Christ get along with all people, to be comfortable? what a paradox! No, this is not pessimism, or destructive criticism of the Church, as some will say—on the contrary it is the plain truth, honestly stated, which has shorn the church of much of her saving power and gospel message. But we have been too proud and jealous of the church's good name, too fearful of acknowledging the truth, and too afraid of the consequences to the church, to do anything effectively about it.

But the biggest tragedy of all, is the tendency on the part of the leader of the church, to permit themselves to be influenced by such a policy in the administration and direction of the Holy Church of God. These are strong statements I know, but are they not justifiable in the defense of truth and of dangerous consequences to the Christian church? If the life and ministry and principles of Jesus is any criterion in the guidance of His church these statements are amply justified.

### **The Integrity Of The Church Should Be Unquestionable**

Judgment must begin at the house of God. The righteousness and honesty of the church must be above reproach even in the face of her enemies. The church has lost much of the confidence and respect of the multitude, because she has not in many respects adhered conscientiously to the principles of Christ, in dealing firmly with sin among the laity and the ministry. It is to be regretted that church Discipline is almost a thing of the past. Right and wrong is in eternal conflict. There must be no compromise. In the majority of cases, the right and wrong is easily distinguishable. The great sin of today, is not that we do not know the right from wrong, but knowing the right we fail to do it. This blot must be erased from our shield of integrity. The church purchased by the blood of God, must be honest, and courageous in all things or forfeit the faith and confidence of mankind—and justly so.

### **The Central Purpose Of The Church Is The Salvation Of The World**

While religious education, Social Gospel, Organization, higher training, building of adequate churches, the raising of finances, are all vastly important in balanced proportion, but there is grave danger of permitting these necessary things to deflect us from the central purpose of the church, which is the redemption of mankind. Was not this the mistake of the Doctors of Israel? Let this historic instance teach us the folly of putting means before the life and spirit of the church. May God help us to see the wisdom, and the absolute necessity of making the great commission of the first importance, then unify and concentrate all church machinery in its accomplishment. This is the only way the church has an iota of a chance to save a lost world.

### **To What Degree Has The Church Christianized The World?**

The time has come when the Christian church must honestly ask, and intelligently rethink that soul disturbing question: To what

extent has christianity realized the dream of a resurrected Christ, which was a world empire, wherein dwelleth righteousness.

The Church and the world is in a state of bewilderment. Neither christianity or the nations of mankind have been able to eradicate the fortified evils of modern society, or lick a world depression. The acme of human ingenuity and wisdom have made a miserable failure. The stability and progress of civilization seemingly stands before an impassable wall. The standards and principles that have guided us safely in the past, are being junked wholesale in this modern age. Yet, the best efforts and ability of man have failed to direct successfully in the re-birth of a New economic and Social order. Christianity has never been given a fair trial in the solution of the problems of mankind. Why not test out, and prove for all time, whether or not, God's plan for humanity through the revelation of Jesus Christ, will actually succeed in the solving the enigma of human life.

The redemptive plan of God thru Christ, has been in operation almost two thousand years. The salvation of mankind, the gospel of temperance, Good-will, Peace, and social justice have been preached over most of the world. All christians rejoice over the marvelous achievements of Christianity. Yet, it might be illuminating, to ask, how well we have succeeded in making the mind of the world the mind of Christ.

At the present time war clouds are floating across the sky of the civilized world. The nations of the earth with all their resources, are planning and working, night and day, in order to be prepared to defend their very life. The factories of Mars, in feverish haste, are turning out their implements of death and destruction. America is being drowned in Beer and hard liouor. Gambling is on the increase. Selfishness, Social injustice, and other evils, are ravaging our land. Across the sea, Atheistic Communism has denounced God, as a myth, and Jesus Christ as the bastard son of a Jewish woman. Russian, Italy, and Germany, have bestowed upon a Stalin, a Hitler, a Mussolini, the prerogatives of God. The Christian church has been paralyzed or destroyed in these countries. Russia, especially, is sending missionaries over the world, who are preaching her Red doctrines with a fervor and courage, not unlike that which characterized the preaching of the Apostles of the early Christian church. World conditions has inspired that great christian statesman, E. Stanley Jones, to say concerning the clash of principles among the nations, "It is either Christ or Communism that will win supremacy in the earth."

### **The Church Has Access To Inexhaustible Power**

One of the mysteries of God's plan of human redemption, is the startling fact that God is depending upon men thru Christ to save a lost world. Yet, the great majority of mankind are unsaved. God's arm is not shortened that it cannot save. His omnipotent power has not diminished. The resources of God are inexhaustible. The redemptive power of Christ, is ample to redeem a world, or ten thousand worlds. Why then has not our world been saved?

The greatest problem of God is not the wickedness of the wicked, but the great sin of unbelief in His church. Christ's disciples were humiliated, because they could not cast out devils in the presence of the multitude. Privately, they asked Christ, why they could not. He answered, because of your unbelief. That answer still remains true to Christ's disciples who have not accomplished their task after



the death of almost 20 centuries. By faith thru Christ, the Church of God is well able to redeem all sinful men. Unbelief will strip the church of her unlimited, irresistible power, because of which, the world will be lost. Will Christ find faith on earth when he returns?

### **The Crucial Test Of Christianity**

Christendom and civilization are standing at the cross-roads of their existence. If christianity fails to fulfill her mission, the collapse of civilization is inevitable. The Christian church is being tested to the very foundation of her soul. The combined forces of a wicked godless world, are snapping like a pack of hungry wolves, at her very life. Will the church be able to stand having done all to stand?

### **The Church Should Face Its Task With Courage And Honesty**

The Church of God must be honest and very courageous. It must not hesitate to take an inventory of the state and condition of its own life. Facts are arbitrary, but they must be reckoned with, if a course of action is charted wisely. In the light of this logic, after a careful unbiased scientific examination of soul of the church, we find that with her present faith, experience, and power, that the church is not meeting very successfully, the blind selfishness, and deadly evils of a changing Social order.

### **A Great Conviction In The Church**

There is a growing conviction in the church, that the church must have a new baptism of power. That we need to get back to the experience of the early Apostles and the founders of Methodism. One of the most hopeful signs pointing in this direction, is the fact that the leaders of the Methodist Episcopal Church, are advising Methodists to seek the Aldergate experience. It is imperative that we regain the experience of having, and keeping our hearts strangely warmed by the Spirit of the living God. There is great danger of preaching and living, becoming a mere function, instead of a thing of eternal life and eternal death. Methodism must be refilled with the Holy Spirit of God.

### **What Shall The Church Do In The Present Crisis?**

History repeats itself. The condition of the Christian church today, is similar to the condition that existed in the Jewish church in Christ's day. The Doctors and High priests of Israel had lost sight of the reality and certainty of true religion. The true spirit of Jewish faith was obscured by form, law, and hair-splitting theological question. So blind were the leaders of Israel to truth, that even the Son of God was crucified by them as a malefactor. In our day, Christ and the average christian, are having a soul-disturbing experience with the hair-splitting Doctors of Divinity in the christian church.

What course does Divine wisdom direct the church to take in present world conditions? Play the part of cowards and weaklings? Preferring ease and worldly comfort. Loosing life by investing it selfishly? Shall we still trust in diplomacy, tact, soft speech and action, instead of the Spirit of the eternal God? Will not this course of action jeopardize the growth and achievements of the christian church for many centuries?

No! We cannot, we must not do this no matter what the cost! Perhaps we need a new baptism of blood, to purify the church, to

prepare and empower her, for a new conquest of the world for Christ. If that will revitalize Methodism and rekindle the fires of vital religion, renew the Aldergate experience, so that she may fulfill her destiny in the world, as for myself, I pray God to send it now, and let it begin in me!

### The Cross In Christianity

Jesus said, "He that saveth his life shall lose it, but he that loseth his life for my sake shall save it". "He that forsaketh not father and mother, brother and sister, is not worthy of me" "if any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me".

Christian, leaders of the people, perhaps we possess too much of the spirit of the Pharisees and priests of Israel, whose religion found expression in pious platitudes. We point to E. Staley Jones and Ka g-a-wa, as examples of what the power of God can do in human life. Yet, we steadfastly refuse to bear the cross, or wear the crown of thorns that produced them. Leaders and Christians, like the above examples, must be the rule, and not the exception in the church, if a godless world is ever saved. It was said of Jesus, "He saved others, but he himself he could not save". Which being interpreted means, if we continue to refuse to bear the cross and save ourselves, the world will be lost—for the cross holds the central place in Christianity and the salvation of mankind.

### The Equitable Equalization Of Salaries

In closing this document, I wish to present to the Bishop, District Superintendents and to the entire conference, one important way by which we may bear the cross for the salvation of sinners—I mean the equitable equalization of salaries in the Holston Conference.

The country church is the cradle of religion. The city church could not get along without the feeder country church. The simple faith and inherent honesty of the country people, is the hope of the future christianity. Here is the most strategic fortress of modern christianism.

But the christian church at large, is doing practically nothing at present, to defend this citadel of power. Thousands of country churches have been abandoned during the last fifteen or twenty years. This condition is a grave menace to universal christianity. The country church is the base from which christianity will make her stand to survive in modern civilization.

If this is true, and a careful analysis of facts point that way, steps should be immediately taken, to furnish the best trained leadership, that the church can mobilize, and assign them to country circuits. The equitable equalization of salaries within the bounds of the conference would help to furnish an adequate living wage for these leaders until the work could be made self-supporting. The wisdom of such a step will be apparent within a period of ten years. Such a policy should not only be carried out in the Holston conference, it should be so continuously agitated, that it would finally become the universal plan of Methodism throughout the world.

Respectfully submitted,

REV. FRED D. WATSON  
Superintendent of the Bristol District



## THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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### REPORT OF THE SCHOOL AND COLLEGE DIVISION OF THE HOLSTON CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Division of Schools and Colleges of the Conference Board of Education rejoices in the report that the schools within the bounds of the Conference, namely, Tennessee Wesleyan College and the University of Chattanooga, have increased enrollments for the current year and that both have been able to meet their financial obligations in full. They have in every way shown signs of healthy progress.

The committee appointed by the Board of Education to make a survey of the status of Christian education in the Colleges completed its report during the year. This report was presented to the Board, was amended and copies of the amended report were ordered sent to the Boards of Trustees of Tennessee Wesleyan College and the University of Chattanooga.

The Division reports that the liquidation of Murphy Collegiate Institute is still in process.

The Division of Schools and Colleges submits the following recommendations:

1. That this Conference year the amount of \$6600 be the goal for our educational benevolence; the district superintendents to determine the share of each individual charge.

2. That the amount received be apportioned as last year—72% for Tennessee Wesleyan, 25% for the University of Chattanooga, 3% for administration. The Board of Education last year elected Professor C. E. Rogers, Johnson City, as treasurer of this fund. He has been most faithful in the performance of his duties.

3. That the churches of the conference, mindful of the worth of these two institutions and of the pride which all feel in them, take more responsibility for the raising of this fund during the next conference year and that they cooperate heartily in plans to be formulated for this campaign.

4. That the following men be named as conference representatives on the board of trustees of Tennessee Wesleyan Junior College: William M. Dye, G. T. Francisco, J. Rollo Emert.

5. That we be mindful of the increased responsibility that will devolve upon the entire conference, the Board of Education, and possibly more especially upon the division of schools and colleges in that Board as we look toward unification with its as yet undetermined effect upon church-related schools and colleges in East Tennessee.

6. That we all strive for a closer community of interests between these two educational institutions and the annual conference, realizing that the aims of colleges and conference alike are fundamentally and finally the same. To this end the division of schools and colleges of the board of education is intended to serve as a clearing-house for constructive criticism and as a channel for official communication between the two groups, with no authority vested in it but with an advisory capacity that may well serve the common interests of both groups.

7. That in the interest of early functioning of the Board of Education including the Division of Schools and Colleges, a session of the newly appointed Board of Education be held before the adjournment of the Conference for the purpose of organization.

WESLEY F. LEDFORD,  
JAS. L. ROBB,  
W. E. BISHOP,  
FRANK A. HAMILTON,  
For the Division of Schools and Colleges.

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### **The Division of Religious Education in the Local Church**

As followers of Jesus Christ we must ever keep before us the one main purpose of our ministry. To be helpful in interpreting the great spiritual purpose of the Church is one of the functions of this division of the Board of Education.

It is the task of the Church to produce individuals ruled by the purpose of God, who in turn will set about transforming society into the kingdom of God. The aim of every pastor is therefore for himself and for every one in his charge, "Complete Christian living, which includes belief in God as revealed in Jesus Christ and vital fellowship with Him, personal acceptance of Christ as Saviour and His way of life; the Christian motive in the making of all life-choices, and whole-hearted participation in and constructive contribution to the progressive realization of a social order controlled by Christian principles." \* Religious education, therefore, is the pulling together of the resources of the local church to do this work. It is the local Church in action for the realization of the ideals of the kingdom of God.

The challenge that is before us to hold fast the soul to the kingdom from the earliest childhood to old age: a child who has come to love God as naturally as it does its parents; a youth, thrilled with the vision of a great plan evolving through the universe; a young adult, daring to think that perhaps God is planning a better world than the one we now have; men, women, banding themselves together into a fellowship to help each other live more like Christ; individuals, sensing God's dependence on common persons like themselves working with Him to bring about a new world; in short, the whole matter of guiding human lives to fit into the divine scheme of things; this is religious education. This is the task of the Church.

If the Christian Church is to work toward one common goal, if the kingdom of God is to come on earth as it is in heaven, it will be because each local Church is doing its part, consciously working unitedly with every other Church. If we of Holston Conference do this, it will be because we pastors are committed to Christian principles in practice in every area of life and stand together, working cooperatively as brethren, in this common task.

The program of Religious Education in Holston Conference has such a fundamental purpose as this as its base. It should be participated in by all groups, both rural and urban, laymen and pastors, youth groups and adults if these ideals are to have reality in bringing about the kingdom of God. To nurture these interests, to stimulate

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\* Statement of aim, International Council of Religious Education.

efforts and processes in the local Church, is the purpose of this division of religious education of the Board of Education and we look to you of the Conference to support the program during the coming year.

We deeply appreciate the fact that District Superintendents, pastors, Churches, lay workers, in increasing numbers, are actually working at this task in their respective fields. A heartening response is indicated by this year's Rally Day Report. More Churches than ever before have reached their Rally Day goal in full. Sixty-six Churches contributed a total amount of \$1,799.00 for this work. This year, since practically the sole source of support of the budget is from Rally Day offerings, let us recognize the fact that if the program is to be continued as a practical aid to the local Church in working toward the above objectives each station and circuit is depended upon to do its part.

The budget for next year is as follows:

#### PROPOSED BUDGET

Holston Conference Program of Religious Education  
July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938

(Fiscal Year)

##### Anticipated Receipts

Rally Day expectations .....	\$2,510.00
Board of Education Appropriations .....	800.00

Total Anticipated Receipts .....\$3,310.00

##### Anticipated Expenditures

Promotion and Publicity .....	\$ 216.00
Office Supplies and Postage .....	250.00
Travel .....	150.00
Salary of Director .....	1,850.00
House Rent .....	150.00
Secretary .....	550.00
Miscellaneous .....	144.00

Total Anticipated Expenditures .....\$3,310.00

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL L. JONES,  
Chairman of the Division.

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#### REPORT OF WORLD SERVICE COMMITTEE

1. We would recognize the launching of the Million Unit Fellowship Movement as a moving of the Holy Spirit upon the hearts of the people called Methodist under the High command of our noble Bishop Keeney, who by his careful preparation of the work in laying a spiritual foundation has made this new advance in our missionary enterprise not something transient but abiding.

2. Inasmuch as the pledges made to this Movement are for a year at a time, we therefore urge that we begin immediately after this conference to obtain renewal of all such pledges for another year,

preferably on the first Sunday of November, since most Sunday Schools and Churches already observe the first Sunday of each month as Missionary Sunday. Let every effort be made to obtain additional pledges from individuals and groups, such as Classes in the Sunday School, and Epworth Leagues.

3. We again urge every church to forward such money monthly, or at least quarterly, to O. W. Auman, treasurer, at 740 Rush St., Chicago.

4. Let us never lose sight of the spiritual aspect of this movement, seeking to match every unit of money subscribed with the winning of a soul to the kingdom and the Church.

5. Let every pastor and his World Service committee make use of the free literature available from each of the Boards comprising the World Service Commission. Let this literature be distributed to every home in our constituency, through the Sunday School, home visitation and the use of a display table in the vestibule of the church.

6. Let us observe World Missionary Sunday on some appropriate date, using programs furnished free for that purpose, at which time and other times we preach definitely on our World Missionary Task.

7. Let Monthly Missionary Sunday be observed regularly with suitable worship programs and instruction, regular payment of pledges with individual records carefully kept, by class and group secretaries, with constant appeal for new pledges, so this enterprise may not sink into the usual financial appeal, merely, but a deep SPIRITUAL UNDERTAKING.

8. In view of all this let us as a conference here and now accept the quota suggested for us by the World Service Commission as our goal and set out to raise 2408 units this coming year, with the way open for an ever widening horizon until we shall some day reach the ideal of "AS MUCH FOR OTHERS AS FOR OURSELVES."

D. W. DONALDSON, Chairman.

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## REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

This committee desires to share first of all some convictions which we feel underlie the total program of the church as it works to make the kingdoms of this world into the kingdom of God.

1. Conviction: We believe we live in a World that is unfinished. A world that never was so plastic as it is today. This means that Christianity faces an unprecedented opportunity for making an impact for Christ and His principles in the next quarter century, especially in this section of the South where great changes are taking place.

2. Conviction: There is not an individual gospel and a social gospel. There is one gospel; the Good News of Jesus Christ for individuals and for society. This whole gospel must be proclaimed anew from the pulpits of the Methodist Churches and lived out by Methodist ministers and laymen in all the areas of life, including church, home, and community.

3. Conviction: That in the achievement of the kingdom of God among men, we are "laborers together with God." We believe in a



God who is alive and at work at the task of redeeming, transforming, and making new this needy world about us. This God Who laid hold on the Patriarchs, spoke through the Prophets, revealed Himself fully in Christ, is everlastingly brooding over and passionately longing for the extension of His kingdom.

4. Conviction: We believe in the ultimate triumph of righteousness, and the Kingdom of God among men. We believe the stars in their courses are for the triumph of right in the affairs of men. The Universe, at its center, supports the good. We believe the Church today must march forward in the light of, and inspired by such faith.

We believe Christ's challenge for the Holston Conference is that we do our part to do away with the evils of life which blight and wreck the lives of children, youth and adults.

Among these great evils is the evil of poverty. We believe that it is the purpose of God that the natural resources of this great section be made available for bringing the more abundant life for all the people of this part of God's world.

Another one of the great evils of life which we are called on to do something about is war. We are deeply conscious of the darkening war clouds on the horizon. We must pray for peace, we must do our part to educate for peace, we must do our part to remove the causes of war, and promote the spirit of love and good will among men.

Another one of the great evils which Christ challenges to do something about is the evil of alcoholic beverages. We must educate and train and evangelize youth and adults concerning the evils of this terrible force for the destruction of persons made in the image of God.

On the basis of the above convictions and challenges we suggest:

1. Sermons on the implications of the principles and ideals of Jesus for business, society, government, home, school and community.
2. The organization of small forum groups in each church for the discussion of the problems of life in the light of Christian teaching.
3. A program of education in each church on the Christian's attitude toward material values and proper use of material values, on Christian patriotism and world peace, on the implications of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man for all human relationships.
4. That we ministers and laymen alike begin anew to put the spirit of Christ to practice in church, and school, and home, and factory, and office, and politics, and in every realm of our experience.

W. C. DANIELS, Chairman,  
W. E. BISHOP,  
E. N. TARPLEY,  
JOHN A. KING,  
WORTH M. GREER.

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## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM

Revival fires on the altars of Methodism are still burning. Our great Church was born in the heat and fervor of one of the most



wonderful revivals of religion since the days of Saint Paul. In the early days, most every one of our churches came into being as a result of Evangelistic effort. Beginning with the Aldergate Street experience, the Methodists have gone everywhere preaching and teaching that men and women should be born of the Spirit.

We need again to call attention to our heritage as Methodists and to emphasize anew our evangelistic mission. This is all the more necessary for us now since our Conference reports reveal a shortage in church membership and a falling off in conversions and baptisms for the last year.

We wish to recommend that special attention be given to our work of evangelism. There is as much need now for real repentance and submission to Christ as in any past day. And there is as much reality and power in the Gospel as ever.

We would not in any sense divorce evangelism from religious education. Evangelism that is not educational in its very essence is futile and worthless. Religious Education that is not fundamentally evangelistic is devoid of permanent value. The two should go together—the two are one.

In evangelism and revival meetings, there are the true and the false. We want to avoid extravagant emotionalism and senseless fanaticism which serve to discredit religion among our intelligent people.

Dr. Fifer in the September 9 issue of the *Christian Advocate* spoke our sentiments on this subject:

"A famous religious leader once aptly said that one proof of the divine character of the Christian religion was in its power to survive the falsehoods and frauds which had been attached to it by ignorant and fanatical folks whose emotions exceeded their brains in quality. . . . Established and reputable religion has no endorsement for seven-year-old-boy preachers: for tests of faith which are ridiculous and disgraceful; for parade of former sins and vices as advertising medium for patronage or as exceptional preparation for evangelistic power; for the street level method of securing attendance; for slang, semi-vulgarity and off-color tinge in pulpit vocabulary. Not one of these practices can be reconciled with Jesus and His method as a preacher. Stunts and freaks have no place in true religious programs."

As we come to celebrate the Aldergate Street Experience of John Wesley during the year 1938, let us all pray that our Methodist Churches may be swept into a great revival of spiritual power and vital religious experience.

To every Methodist preacher, we would say in the language of Paul to Timothy:

". . . Do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry." (II Timothy 4:5.)

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE CRESWELL,

J. M. DEW,

N. A. CONNER,

G. E. BLANCHARD,

I. G. CROWDER,

Committee on Evangelism.

## REPORT OF THE HOLSTON CONFERENCE COMMISSION FOR COOPERATION WITH THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

According to the recommendations of the Annual Conference of last year, your Commission, through its Chairman, has made certain contacts with the Tennessee Valley Authority development which reveal the fact that the Government Survey, made in connection with the building of the Chickamauga Dam, calls for certain public property which in some instances joins to our Church property in Soddy and Dayton, Tennessee.

Therefore, with the likelihood that some of our Church property will be affected by the building of the Chickamauga Dam, we recommend the continuation of the Commission.

And, we further recommend that the one (\$100.00) hundred dollars loan made to the Solway church in the Harriman district through the sale of Church property in the Norris Dam area be made a gift; and, that the note be cancelled.

Respectfully submitted by the Commission.

JOE M. HAMPTON, Chairman.

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### RESOLUTION

To the Ninety-fourth Session of Holston Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church:

Whereas, There is found to be great need of immediate aid to the dependents of members of Conference and of the Accepted Supply pastors, in the event of their death, a group of ministers working within the bounds of the Johnson City District after discussing how we might help to supply the need, ask me to formulate a plan which has as its purpose to assist in helping the family of members and accepted supplies, to pay burial expenses and to bring about a greater sense of brotherhood in thus sharing in some material way in times of grief.

This plan provides:

First, that all ministers who choose to participate be expected to pay as dues the sum of one dollar for every two deaths in the fellowship, the first payment to be made at this session of the conference, which payment will be in advance and make available funds to be used at once or when needed. The next payment is to be made after the second death occurs, of those who participate.

Second, that the membership in the fellowship will be purely voluntary and that the organization or plan can begin with any number who choose to go into it, great or small.

Be it resolved, that we go on record favoring such a plan.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. ATKINSON.

## RESOLUTION

To the 94th Session of the Holston Annual Conference, Knoxville, Tennessee:

We, the members of the Holston Annual Conference working within the bounds of the Johnson City District, wish to offer a resolution to the 94th session of the Holston Annual Conference, October 13 to 17, Second Methodist Episcopal Church, Knoxville, Tennessee, relative to a more comprehensive method of reporting data from the individual churches of a circuit as follows:

Whereas the Statistician's and the Treasurer's report blanks, now in use by the conference, do not provide for reporting the work done by the separate societies of the circuit, and

Whereas the interest and activity of the members of the individual societies of a circuit would be stimulated by reporting their respective parts of the total goal of the circuit.

Be it resolved that the Conference furnish suitable blanks, to each pastor in charge of a circuit, for reporting the progress of each local church on the pastoral charge covering the items in the Treasurer's and the Statistician's reports of the Annual Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. CHANEY.

President Western Group.

DAN JONES, Secretary.

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## REPORT OF BOARD OF MINISTERIAL TRAINING

It will be the purpose of this report, not so much to say what has been done, but what is to be done. It is hoped, then, that the report may serve in the nature of a manual for those with whom the Board of Ministerial Training must co-operate.

Three classes of ministers serve as pastors for our churches: (1) those who have graduated from the course of study; (2) undergraduates in the course of study; (3) accepted supply pastors.

**Graduates.** Eighteen correspondence courses are offered to the ministers of this group. The Athens Summer School of Ministerial Training has organized a graduate section, lasting five days of the first week of the school. Also, it is recommended that each District Superintendent give earnest consideration to the opportunity offered in the graduate courses for organized study groups in his district. A committee on graduate work will help in the organization of such groups in each District. The committee is composed of: J. E. Milburn, Kirk Waldo Robbins, D. W. Donaldson, W. R. Curtis, W. C. Daniels. Further information concerning graduate work may be obtained by addressing Dr. Allan MacRossie, 150 Fifth Avenue, New York.

**Undergraduates.** To be received on trial and admitted to the Conference Course of Study as an undergraduate, a candidate must have graduated from an approved college and have passed the subjects for "Reception on Trial" (Discipline, paragraph 545, section 1). When he has been so received he advances through the course of study as

prescribed in the remainder of paragraph 545, under conditions set forth in paragraph 541-544. Books for each year's study, called "Directions and Helps," guide the student in his work. All work must be done according to the requirements as set forth in "Directions and Helps."

The instructors assigned to each subject and their Post Office addresses will be found in the Conference Journal. All written work must be sent to the assigned instructor. Return postage should be included.

Examinations are given only at the Summer School of Ministerial Training, with the exception of subjects for Reception on Trial which may be taken at the seat of the annual conference on the day preceding the opening of the annual conference.

Exemption from the Course of Study will be allowed only on the bases of official transcripts from the colleges and seminaries concerned. These must be in the hands of the Conference registrar two weeks before the meeting of the Annual Conference.

"Approved" colleges and seminaries are those approved by the University Senate. The conference registrar and the chairman of the Board have lists of the approved institutions. Most earnestly we request that every candidate for our ministry consult with these officers that he may ascertain whether the school of his choice is an approved school. Otherwise, he may present his credits in vain.

Required written work in subjects for examination must be received by the instructors before the opening of the Summer School of Ministerial Training. Refund of traveling expenses will not be made to students who fail to comply with this rule. All other written work is due two weeks before the Annual Conference. The Board will not be responsible for omissions in its records of work turned in after this time limit.

**Accepted Supply Pastors.** All that has been indicated above under the heading of "Undergraduates" applies to accepted supply pastor candidates except that there is no scholastic college requirements. The following items are emphasized. The Accepted Supply Pastor must come to the Summer School of Ministerial Training (Discipline, paragraph 544, section 7.) He must pass the courses for Reception on Trial before he can be placed in this relation (paragraph 546, section 1). Note a ruling of the Board of Bishops given last May, namely: An Accepted Supply Pastor who has completed the Course of Study for Local Preachers, is required, whether ordained or not, to take up the regular conference course.

**The Summer School.** The next session of the Athens Summer School of Ministerial Training will be held June 6-16, 1938.



The Annual Conference Benevolence for the Summer School was not largely honored this last year. We beseech the Conference to continue this benevolence and enter into it much more heartily. It is used to pay the travel expenses of the students whom the church requires to attend the Summer School. One dollar per 100 members or fraction thereof, sent to Brother Rupert R. Ghormley, Treasurer, before June 1st, will be money invested in better ministers.

The Commission on Courses of Study and its executive director, Allan MacRossie, receive our most hearty thanks for their helpful contributions of both money and guidance. We gladly give ourselves to the excellent program which they have created for the training of the ministers of Methodism.

Respectfully submitted for the Board by

R. A. KILBURN, Chairman.



## LAY DELEGATES

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### BRISTOL DISTRICT

Christiansburg—W. P. Hernberger.  
Greendale and Glenford—S. H. Scott.  
Nickelsville—Clancey E. Meade.  
Roanoke—First Church—J. S. Root.  
Rose Hill—Miss Elizabeth Edds.  
Salem—Jasper Light.  
Wytheville—Noah Akers.

### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

Big Springs—J. A. Howell.  
Cleveland Circuit No. 11—C. L. Lawson.  
Alton Park—F. Todd Meacham.  
Avondale—Mrs. G. C. Jolly.  
First Church—S. E. Nelson.  
Highland Park—Mrs. W. J. Hill.  
Manker Memorial—W. P. McClanahan.  
St. James—M. H. Ortwine.  
Etowah—O. L. Reed.

### HARRIMAN DISTRICT

Beaver Ridge—Mrs. Flossie Miller Cox.  
Clinton—Mrs. J. A. McGhee.  
Decatur—C. H. Wattenbarger.  
Graysville—Jack Shipley.  
Jellico—D. A. Harkness.  
Kingston—W. F. Elzey.  
New Tazewell—T. C. Mountain.  
Rockwood—Mrs. May P. Evans.  
Wells Springs—Glen Seale.  
Lenoir City—W. R. Hatcher.

### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

Baileyton—O. C. Morrison.  
Elizabethton—Dr. C. H. Mock.  
Fall Branch—Ernest Moody.  
Morrison and Lynn Garden—J. S. Matherly.  
Greeneville—Dr. H. J. Lamans.  
Johnson City—C. E. Rogers.  
Limestone—Cecil Armstrong.  
Morristown—Dr. B. C. Weesner.  
Morristown Circuit—J. A. Grigsby.  
Mosheim—Hervy Hartman.  
Newport—H. A. Fancher.  
Parrottsville—F. L. Bewley.  
Pittman Center—H. T. Ogle.

**KNOXVILLE DISTRICT**

Chestnut Hill—Mr. Houk Mason.  
Dandridge—Paul Goddard.  
Burlington—W. M. Parker.  
East Main—Oscar Emert.  
First Church—James M. Murphy.  
Lonsdale—C. G. Baker.  
Park City—W. D. Watson.  
Second Church—M. S. Roberts.  
South Knoxville—C. D. Roach.  
Vestal—Mrs. Addie L. Doyle.  
Knoxville Circuit—J. G. Morton.  
Maryville—R. R. Kramer.  
Maryville Circuit—Luther Carpenter.  
Sevierville—Geo. Wynn.  
Sevierville Circuit—Joseph Seaton.  
Pigeon Forge—D. M. Householder.

## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

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This is to certify that on the 17th day of October, 1937, I  
Ordained, under election by the Holston Conference of the  
Methodist Episcopal Church, the following persons as:

### Deacons

CHARLES EDWIN PALMER

WILLIAM L. ROBERTS

OLIVER R. TARWATER, JR.

### Elders

WILLIAM F. BARBER

CHARLES W. DYE

FRANK C. MASON

CHARLIE D. MEHAFFEY

CHARLES E. PICKERING

WALLACE E. BROWN,

Presiding Bishop.

Done at Knoxville, Tennessee.

# STATISTICS

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1. Bristol First Church	W. D. Wilkinson	\$ 2200	\$ 2200	\$ 400	\$ 180	\$ 180	\$ 45	\$ 45	\$ 180	\$ 180	\$ 2605	6	14	6	3	5	14	12	12	26	534	24	14	12	12	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2</



# STATISTICS No. 2—BRISTOL DISTRICT—1937

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools				Epworth League			Church Property										Miscellaneous			
	Number of Church Schools	Officers and Teachers		Church School Current Expenses	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not includ. Interest	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses not Includ. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amt. Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	No. Congregations or Preaching Places
1. Bristol: First Church.....	1	28	318	224	34	14		1 \$ 25000	1 \$ 6000	1	55000	\$ 1000	299	\$ 132	\$ 618	\$ 2050	\$ 1050	1	4	\$ 390	1
2. Bristol Circuit.....	2	19	154	65	65	20	12	3 55000	1 2600	1	12000		440	70	600	3200	86	1	2	149	3
3. Christiansburg.....	6	36	480	150	36			5 12000	1 1500	1	15000		70	190	600	3200	34	1	2	140	6
4. Clinch Valley.....	3	12	75	40				3 25000	1 1500	1	15000		175				275	3			8
5. Floyd.....	6	40	530	100	100			8 10000	1 1500	1	15000		175					2			8
6. Fries.....	6	38	427	104				6 70000	1 1500	1	15000		21					2			8
7. Greendale & Glenford.....	6	43	425	25	25			7 12000	1 1000	1	15000		156					2		25	7
8. Hilton.....	2	15	115	25				2½ 25000	1 1500	1	15000		156					1		210	3
9. Marion.....	6	35	565	100				6 14000	1 4000	1	15000		600			100		2		200	6
10. Nickelsville.....	4	37	275	50				5 17000	1 1500	1	15000		275				50	1		200	10
11. Pattons' & Gate City.....	8	26	385	65	68			5 17000	1 1500	1	15000		170				175	4	9		1
12. Radford.....	1	15	260	71	27	35	47	11 21500	2 5000	2	50000		7	90	320	1300	176	1	1	224	1
13. Riner.....	4	28	324	100	36			5 5000	1 1000	1	10000		200	120	1000	16400	225	4	7	75	3
14. Roanoke, First Church.....	3	33	420	225	36			2 41000	1 4000	1	40000		200	1020	1000	16400	375	4	10	460	8
15. Roanoke, Villa Heights.....	1	15	161	40	18	16	18	1 40000	1 1500	1	15000		350	735	2734	15000	300	1	1	52	1
16. Rose Hill.....	3	20	233	97	80			4 25000	1 1000	1	10000				274		40	1	1	274	4
17. Russell.....	8	40	555	150				8 4000	1 1000	1	10000		137			750	50	1	5		3
18. St. Charles.....	3	30	400	150	75			3 6000	1 2500	1	25000		113	18	300	300	65	3	5		8
19. Salem.....	1	13	358	160	40		21	1 4000	1 3000	1	3000		113	80			316	1	1	116	1
20. Wytheville.....	4	28	284	48				4 6000	1 2000	1	2000		100				82	1	1	76	4
21. Jonesville.....	4	16	153	12				5½ 5000	1 4500	1	45000		100								4
22. Pennington Gap.....	3	42	445	100	25	12	15	4 44000	1 4500	1	45000		50					1	10	238	3
Totals.....	86	609	7342	\$2005	464	97	125	96 \$321000	20 \$ 49100	20	\$1000	\$ 3957	\$ 2835	\$ 6146	\$ 39400	\$ 3848	27	62	\$2718	104	

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NAMES OF CHARGES			MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP														
			Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Cl'mts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support		Children Baptized		Baptisms		Pre'tory Mem'ship		Full Membership							
Names of Pastors	Total Claim, includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim, House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Total Paid, House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Claim	Paid	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	Total Deficiency	Children Baptized	Baptisms	Pre'tory Mem'ship	Received From P. M.	Received on Con- fession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Received from Other Denominations	Full Mem's on Roll incl. Inactive Mem's	Inactive Members	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year		
	\$ 2480	\$ 2480	\$ 480	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 2930	\$ 163	3	2	3	3	3	3	1	1	444	580	47	1
1. Athens.....	R. F. Porter.....	1300	1300	300	110	110	25	25	100	100	1535	1535	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	444 <td>580<td>47<td>1</td></td></td>	580 <td>47<td>1</td></td>	47 <td>1</td>	1
2. Athens Parish.....	Louis Lewis.....	720	618	120	60	33	15	2	36	12	665	163	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	580 <td>90</td> <td>47<td>1</td></td>	90	47 <td>1</td>	1	
3. Cleveland.....	W. E. Bishop.....	2600	2600	600	220	220	50	50	200	200	3070	3070	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	444 <td>580<td>47<td>1</td></td></td>	580 <td>47<td>1</td></td>	47 <td>1</td>	1	
4. First Church.....	E. M. Boyd.....	925	825	200	73	62	18	10	43	35	932	127	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	430 <td>8</td> <td>8</td> <td>3</td>	8	8	3	
5. Parish No. 1.....	B. G. Keebler.....	685	500	100	60	30	14	10	36	24	564	231	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	445 <td>65</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td>	65	1	1	
6. Parish No. 2.....	C. H. Taylor.....	870	745	120	75	57	19	10	45	35	847	162	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	445 <td>65</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td>	65	1	1	
7. Big Springs.....													1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	254 <td>48</td> <td>6</td> <td>1</td>	48	6	1		
8. Chattanooga.....																						254 <td>48</td> <td>6</td> <td>1</td>	48	6	1		
9. Aton Park.....	R. R. Ghormley.....	1300	1300	300	110	110	25	25	100	100	1535	1535	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	198 <td>40</td> <td>4</td> <td>1</td>	40	4	1	
10. Avondale.....	Charles Holliday.....	1600	1600	300	143	143	33	33	130	130	1906	1906	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	276 <td>21</td> <td>4</td> <td>2</td>	21	4	2	
11. East Ridge.....	D. T. Jones.....	900	900	600	270	270	23	23	81	81	1094	1094	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	321 <td>90</td> <td>2</td> <td>2</td>	90	2	2	
12. First Church.....	F. A. Hamilton.....	3300	3300	600	270	270	67	67	270	270	3934	3934	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	693 <td>121</td> <td>30</td> <td>9</td>	121	30	9	
13. Highland Park.....	E. H. Ogles.....	2600	2600	500	231	231	52	52	210	210	3093	3093	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	414	9	5	9	
14. Manker Memorial.....	J. F. Gilbert.....	1380	1380	280	110	110	28	28	110	110	1628	1628	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	325	96	5	4	
15. Red Bank.....	R. C. Elzey.....	1736	1736	336	140	140	35	35	140	140	2051	2051	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	393	45	10	1	
16. Ridgedale.....	T. O. Marshall.....	1620	1620	420	129	129	30	30	120	120	1899	1899	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	194	60	12	3	
17. St. James.....	G. E. Blanchard.....	2060	2060	400	183	183	41	41	166	166	2450	2450	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	220	37	13	8	
18. St. Marks.....	W. C. Daniels.....	2260	2260	360	209	209	48	48	190	190	2707	2707	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	564	44	12	3	
19. Coalmont Parish.....	Newton Dickens.....	550	269	50	60	6	15	5	36	36	280	381	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	158	41	7	2		
20. Copper Hill.....	J. F. Rowe.....	2100	2100	300	180	180	45	45	180	180	2523	2523	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	340	66	4	2	
21. Daisy Parish.....	John M. Watkins.....	650	650	100	60	60	12	12	33	33	755	755	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	188	66	3	3	
22. Englewood & Tellico P.....	J. Monroe Ball.....	1100	1100	200	90	90	20	20	81	79	1289	1289	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	223	41	5	3	
23. Etowah.....	E. E. Cavaleri.....	2000	2000	400	160	160	40	40	160	160	2360	2360	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	425	129	22	6	
24. Fairmount.....	Wallace E. Fowler.....	840	741	240	60	46	15	11	36	28	826	125	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	232	20	6	6	
25. N. Athens & Niota.....	Clyde Rogers.....	850	850	50	80	80	20	20	64	64	1014	1014	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	242	76	19	2	
26. Soddy.....	E. C. Trentham.....	1150	1150	150	100	100	25	25	100	100	1375	1375	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	241	80	1	1	
27. South Pittsburg.....	Horace Barker.....	600	434	40	60	33	15	7	36	18	492	219	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	238	148	1	1	
28. Etowah Parish.....	A. C. Ketron.....	150	150	150	15	15	4	4	2	2	171	171	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	69	23	8	54	
Totals.....			\$37026	\$35968	\$6606	\$3168	\$3032	\$769	\$703	\$2805	\$2687	\$41296	\$41410	52	175	103	121	52	207	193	81	8107	1482	175	54		

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NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools				Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous										
	Number of Church Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts. Inc. Cradle Roll, Etc.	Church School Current Expenses	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings				Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not includ. Interest	Present Indebtedness includ. Current Expenses	Current Expenses not includ. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amt. Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	No. Congregations or Preaching Places	
1. Athens.....	1	25	275	230	35			1	\$ 55000	1	\$ 15000		1000	210	180	\$ 29000	\$ 800		14	\$ 450	1				
2. Athens Parish.....	9	19	269	40				1	8000	1	1500		110						9		75	6			
3. Cleveland:																									
4. First Church.....	1	36	346	316	25			2	34500	1	7500	\$17500	7600			15300	1466								
5. Parish No. 1.....	6	27	607	127	114			12	8500	1	2000		49				78		4		25	7			
6. Parish No. 2.....	3	22	172	85	40			5	5200	1	1000		200												
7. Big Springs.....	2	13	159	90	76			16	12000	1	1000		25				90		1		115	3			
8. Chattanooga:																									
9. Alton Park.....	1	16	176	104	9			30	25000	1	3000		900	102		1820	1265		4		294	1			
10. Avondale.....	1	12	247	68	34			51	20000	1	3000	1000	125	52	325	1775	150		10	150	1				
11. East Ridge.....	1	13	268	128	60			31	10000				2500	45	500	1200	257		1	400	1				
12. First Church.....	1	30	370	153	22			1	275000				500	2700		110000	7301		1	20	619	1			
13. Highland Park.....	1	24	318	471	30	10	17	1	38000	1	5000		1831	14	37	2676	1428		1	12	710	1			
14. Manker Memorial.....	1	18	274	80	30			1	80000				11000		180	26000	255		1		245	1			
15. Red Bank.....	1	31	423	300	25			15	50800	1	5000		125	171	165	7000	600		200		200	1			
16. Ridgedale.....	1	14	142	110	25			20	5000	1	10000		98			192	233		4	52	1				
17. St. James.....	1	17	222	247	25	20	20	1	40000	1	2500		88	219	390	2965	1400		8	240	1				
18. St. Marks.....	1	36	414	503	25			1	50000	1	2500		191	482	622	7977	1307		9	321	1				
19. Coalmont Parish.....	4	16	156	24				5	3000		1000		78			1965	1134		9		9	4			
20. Copper Hill.....	1	22	282	379	28	18	25	1	22000	1	3000	1200	725	122	357	750	35		3	200	3				
21. Daisy Parish.....	3	30	287	160	157			3	6500	1	1500		225		20	750	98		2	213	2				
22. Englewood & Tellico P.....	2	18	160	85	22			1	8000	1	300		87	732		8033	485		13	346	1				
23. Etowah.....	1	35	245	176	25	22	19	1	65000	1	2000		750		80	320	75		75	75	6				
24. Fairmount.....	5	30	200	110	125			5	6500	1	1500		550				166			141	2				
25. N. Athens & Niota.....	2	16	201	115	35			20	13800	1	2500		120		157		260			220	1				
26. Soddy.....	1	18	210	110	35			43	6000	1	1500		29				57		1	58	5				
27. South Pittsburg.....	3	18	251	56				15	6000	1	1500		10				10					2			
28. Etowah Parish.....	2	11	58	20				2	1200				10						1			5			
Totals.....	62	567	6707	4337	1002	70	\$14	\$7	\$855000	21	\$ 81000	\$20000	\$ 28816	\$ 4859	\$ 3749	\$190278	\$19216	11	126	\$5159	59				

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NAMES OF CHARGES	Names of Pastors	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												
		Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Cl'mts			Total Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Baptisms		Full Membership								
		Total Claim, includ- Ing House Rent		Total Paid, includ- Ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim, House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Total Paid, House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid			Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Prep. Members Re- ceived During Year	Prep. Members Now On Roll	Received From P. M. Session of Faith	Received by Transfer	Received from Other Denominations	Full Inactive Mem's	Inactive Members	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year
		Total Claim, \$	Total Paid, \$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1. Beaver R. & Solway	W. H. Graves	1350	1350	350	100	100	25	25	100	5	1480	95	14	14	14	14	14	11	369	75	3	1		
2. Clinton	W. L. Pickering	1860	1860	360	160	160	40	40	160	80	2240	80	4	5	7	4	1	146	6	6	3	3		
3. Crossville	W. F. Barber	820	820	120	70	70	17	17	49	19	926	30	4	5	3	3	1	805	94	2	1	1		
4. Dayton	G. T. Byrd	1300	1198	240	106	95	26	10	106	86	1389	149	5	4	5	1	1	210	1	1	1	1		
5. Decatur & Erie Cir.	B. M. Gibson	792	792	72	72	72	18	18	50	50	864	68	12	16	16	4	4	511	100	—	—	—		
6. Graysville	Ralph E. Cline	522	461	72	45	33	11	3	18	12	509	87	8	8	8	2	1	232	81	3	3	3		
7. Harriman	T. H. McIntosh	1600	1540	300	130	124	32	31	130	124	1819	73	3	6	1	1	2	191	75	1	1	2		
8. Heiskell	S. A. Hopper	705	705	120	60	60	15	15	29	29	809	61	7	6	6	6	2	258	14	1	1	2		
9. Ironsburg Parish	J. D. Babb	480	440	120	48	44	12	5	20	10	499	61	11	7	4	4	1	271	48	1	1	1		
10. Jacksboro & Newcomb	M. L. Sivils	445	385	120	32	33	8	8	13	13	439	60	4	5	7	1	1	251	82	8	3	3		
11. Jellico	D. W. Donaldson	1500	1500	300	120	120	30	30	120	120	1770	9	4	4	4	1	1	268	90	2	2	2		
12. Kingston	M. F. Goss	1250	1153	300	95	85	24	21	86	68	1327	128	2	1	1	13	6	212	21	6	3	3		
13. LaFollette	W. M. Grier	1260	1260	360	90	90	22	22	81	81	1453	2	1	1	1	8	3	269	60	2	2	2		
14. Lenoir City	J. M. Dew	1400	1400	300	110	110	27	27	110	107	1537	110	3	1	15	15	2	153	20	1	3	3		
15. Loudon	D. W. Jenkins	1070	900	150	92	92	23	5	83	53	1080	218	3	1	2	2	3	532	130	59	2	2		
16. Maynardville	J. F. Lynch	575	424	72	50	20	12	1	25	10	455	207	2	2	2	6	2	451	80	1	1	1		
17. New Tazewell	D. P. Denton	770	770	120	65	65	16	16	45	45	896	5	2	2	3	2	2	293	127	1	1	1		
18. Oakdale	C. R. Athearn	1350	1350	120	120	120	30	30	120	120	1620	5	1	1	3	2	2	165	20	—	—	—		
19. Oliver Springs	M. B. Gass	622	622	120	50	50	12	12	50	50	672	62	1	1	1	2	4	89	9	1	1	1		
20. Onida	O. R. Tarwater, Jr	840	840	120	72	72	18	7	50	21	940	40	1	1	2	2	4	210	15	5	4	4		
21. Patten Com. Center	L. E. Kilgore	850	725	150	70	60	18	6	49	12	803	184	3	2	2	15	3	251	40	5	1	1		
22. Rockwood	F. H. Carey	1500	1500	300	120	120	30	30	120	120	1770	15	2	15	10	15	18	2	232	105	3	3	3	
23. Sunbright & Burrville	J. L. Cupp	750	710	150	60	53	15	14	86	28	805	56	2	2	2	4	1	167	50	—	—	—		
24. Vine Grove	E. F. Wood	660	610	60	60	55	15	13	36	33	711	60	1	1	2	3	3	150	—	—	—	—		
25. Wells Spring	Enos Wagner	555	535	120	45	36	11	18	18	18	571	68	3	2	2	3	3	150	—	—	—	—		
Totals		\$26026	\$23950	\$5174	\$2043	\$1939	\$567	\$76	\$1604	\$1089	\$27354	1836	55	84	96	31	48	102	67	25	6421	1354	107	53



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NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools				Epworth League		Church Property										Miscellaneous							
	Number of Church Schools	Officers and Teachers		Enrolled in All Depts. inc. Cradle Roll, Etc.	Church School Current Expenses	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not includ. Interest	Present Indebtedness includ. Current Expenses	Current Expenses not includ. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amt. Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	No. Congregations or Preaching Places		
		Schools	Officers																				Teachers	
1. Beaver R. & Solway.....	2	17	275	75	65			2	\$ 15000	1	\$ 6000		1750	\$ 42	\$ 100	\$ 800	90				\$ 2	78	2	
2. Clinton.....	1	14	160	150	20			1	20000	1	3000		2015			400	175				2	382	4	
3. Crossville.....	3	31	400	98	60				7000	1	1000		120			500	188				4	251	4	
4. Dayton.....	2	20	222	45	27			2	13000	1	3000		211	30							2	181	2	
5. Decatur & Erie Cir.....	4	22	380	60				9	9000	1	2000		1142								1	35	9	
6. Graysville.....	5	30	260	160	45			3	5000	1	1000		30				75					5	2	
7. Harriman.....	2	16	177	150	10	24			12000	1	3500		250				628					8	2	
8. Heiskell.....	4	38	225	118	65			5	16800	1	1000		320									36	2	
9. Ironsboro Parish.....	5	30	315	30	120			9	8200				350									36	2	
10. Jacksboro & Newcomb.....	4	20	200	80	15			4	4000	1	1500						36					42	9	
11. Jellico.....	1	26	324	135	30		20		85000	1	4000		350				450					22	4	
12. Kingston.....	3	24	240	80	45	10		3	8000	1	4000		140		60		36					190	3	
13. LaFollette.....	1	14	162	67	12		10		20000	1	3000		63		71		118					116	1	
14. Lenoir City.....	1	18		85	20		18		15000	1	3500	\$ 1000					175					311	1	
15. Loudon.....	2	15	215	150	33	7		2	15000	1	2000		150	28	100	550	100					105	2	
16. Maynardsville.....	5	20	249	55			5		5000	1	1200		40				90					8	5	
17. New Tazewell.....	5	33	300	150	15		12	5	15000	1	3500		200		8		100					180	6	
18. Oakdale.....	1			100	37	15	25		10000	1	1500		65				80					275	1	
19. Oliver Springs.....	4	20	200	30			5		5000	1	1000		5000				90					105	1	
20. Oneida.....	1	8	72	106	25		1		4000	1	1200		181				30					8	5	
21. Patten Com. Center.....	4	20	200	60	30		6		28000	1	2000		300				376					4	1	
22. Rockwood.....	1	16	232	163	25	15		5	10000	1	3000		100	23	30	370	104					173	1	
23. Sunbright & Burrville.....	3	25	226	104	60		4		10000	2	3500		176				100					250	4	
24. Vine Grove.....	4	22	208	110	22		4		10000	1	1000		60				100					28	4	
25. Wells Spring.....	3	22	230	60			4		10200	1	2500		125									1	60	4
Totals.....	71	521	5482	2421	781	68	92	79	\$340200	25	\$7900	\$ 1000	\$ 8188	\$ 134	\$ 369	\$ 2640	\$ 2960	16	79	\$8313	82			



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MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP														
Names of Pastors	Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Cl'mts		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Baptisms			Prep'tory Mem'ship	Full Membership								
	Total Claim, includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim, House Rent, Adm. Exps	Total, Adm. House Rent, Exps	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid			Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Prep. Members Re- ceived During Year		On Roll	Received from P. M. Session of Faith	Received by Transfer	Received from Other Denominations	Full Mem's on Roll	Incl. Inactive Mem's	Inactive Members	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year
1. Baileton.....	J. F. Caldwell.....	\$ 1000	\$ 850	\$ 100	\$ 90	\$ 78	\$ 22	\$ 18	\$ 81	\$ 65	\$ 1011	\$ 182	28	4	12	29	6	1	474	103	1	4		
2. Chucky.....	W. C. Winslow.....	1052	952	52	100	90	25	22	100	90	1154	123	4	4	12	10	10	1	575	50	1	9		
3. Elizabethon.....	W. F. Pitts.....	2100	2100	600	150	150	38	38	150	150	2438		53	12	12	54	12	1	398	50	2	2		
4. Elizabethon Circuit.....	Harry Leonard.....	450	450		44	40	11	10	18	12	512	11	53	12	12	54	12	1	640	50	2	1		
5. Fall Branch.....	Carroll Skeen.....	1000	1005	100	90	90	22	22	81	90	1207		1	1	1	1	1	1	606			1		
6. Lynn Gar. & Morrison.....	A. L. Addington.....	450	450		45	45	11	11	18	22	528		1	2	1	3	16	4	180	25		1		
7. Greenville.....	D. B. Cooper.....	2850	2850	600	225	225	56	56	225	3356			9	15	4	17	11	12	605	100	6	8		
8. Greenville Circuit.....	R. H. Thames.....	1150	1025	150	100	88	25	12	100	50	1175	200	3	8	7	3	3	8	880	100	10	7		
9. Johnson City.....	K. W. Robbins.....	3500	3500	900	260	260	65	65	260	260	4085		3	7	16	7	8	9	690	75	17	5		
10. Johnson City Circuit.....	D. L. Howell.....	555	510		55	51	14	10	28		511	81	1	10	11	11	11	1	461	56	6	6		
11. Kingsport.....	Mark M. Moore.....	2500	2500	600	200	200	50	50	200	200	3050		8	1	5	11	6	1	597	58	1	2		
12. Kingsport Circuit.....	J. H. Meyers.....	1950	950	120	83	83	21	21	66	66	1120		6	7	2	6	1	3	586	50	6	2		
13. Limestone.....	Roy T. Wampler.....	1100	1100	600	100	100	25	25	100	100	1325		8	1	5	3	1	1	554	50	1	4		
14. Morristown.....	Dan L. Jones.....	2600	2600	600	200	200	50	50	200	200	3050		6	6	13	3	1	3	404	56	50	3		
15. Morristown Circuit.....	Geo. W. Atkinson.....	1150	1150	100	105	105	26	26	105	105	1386	61	4	6	13	6	1	6	392	65	3	1		
16. Mosheim.....	W. H. Johnson.....	1500	1450	200	130	125	32	31	130	125	1731	228	4	19	17	19	1	8	725	100	1	7		
17. Mountain City.....	W. F. Ledford.....	1545	1450	250	130	125	32	32	130	35	1609		4	19	17	19	2	2	8	899	100	6	9	
18. Newport.....	John L. Chaney.....	1800	1800	300	150	150	37	37	150	150	2137	78	4	45	45	45	45	45	453	143		2		
19. Cosby Larger Parish.....	John B. Howes.....	600	370		60	39	15	9	36	22	440		7	45	45	45	45	45	300	92	4	2		
20. Parrottsville.....	J. F. Reed.....	1880	1820	250	163	147	42	40	163	163	2170	78	15	6	27	3	3	2	1046	241	4	2		
21. Pittman Center.....	Luther Flynn.....	120	120		25	25	5	5	66	21	777	824	11	11	28	11	3	6	175	55	7	4		
22. Rogersville.....	Cleora Dobbs.....	951	707	120	83	44	21	5	66	21	777	824	14	14	2	11	3	2	236			2		
23. Rutledge.....	W. C. Sauceman.....	645	564	150	60	30	15	5	80	12	611	139	13	14	14	14	14	1	403			9		
24. Sulphur Springs.....	L. G. Crowder.....	1250	1200	150	120	108	30	20	120	100	1428	192	13	20	20	15	15	5	700			5		
25. Surgoinsville.....	E. G. Gillespie.....	860	600	100	76	41	16	10	53	15	666	899	4	26	26	26	26	26	618	15	4	2		
26. Telford.....	C. D. Mehafeey.....	1500	1364	325	117	96	29	21	117	47	1528	235	1	25		25	2	5	697	103	1	4		
Totals.....		\$35268	\$33537	\$5887	\$2936	\$2712	\$ 730	\$ 641	\$2727	\$2345	\$39220	\$2464	60	275	246	104	155	245	103	53142931487	120	103	4	

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NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools			Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous							
	Number of Church Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts. Inc. Cradle Roll, Etc.	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not includ. Interest	Present Indebtedness includ. Current Expenses	Current Expenses not includ. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amt. Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	No. Convergations or Preaching Places	
1. Baileytown.....	6	60	456	69	30		9	\$ 17000	1	\$ 2500	\$ 50	\$ 100					100	1	3	85	6
2. Chucky.....	5	45	562	205	45		5	14000	1	1000		350		\$ 2700	\$ 3000	380	108	1	3	200	1
3. Elizabethton.....	1	19	154	208			5	20000	1										16	65	5
4. Elizabethton Circuit.....	5	37	600	125	100		6	7500	1	2500		125		50	50	100	100		16	65	5
5. Fall Branch.....	4	36	350	97	140		1 1/2	13000	1			125		4252	4252	252	252		41	129	1
6. Lynn Gar. & Morrison.....	1 1/2	22	381	252			7	18000	1	5000		5562				1000	1251		16	65	5
7. Greeneville.....	6	54	747	50	60		7	19800	1	2500		50		15	400	300	300	1	14	992	1
8. Greeneville Circuit.....	1	42	574	642	95		20	20000	1	10000	500				62039	2268	150	12	57	7	8
9. Johnson City.....	6	41	449	108	47		6	10500	1			17			500	4500	896	2	12	963	1
10. Johnson City Circuit.....	1	36	483	276	47	28		1	90000	1	10000		525	282	500	4500	175	15	260	5	6
11. Kingsport.....	6	45	527	147	75		6	8000	1	1200	750	175				160	160	1	15	260	5
12. Kingsport Circuit.....	5	54	725	200	42		35	12000	1	2500		478		200		475	475	1	16	205	5
13. Limestone.....	1	33	303	223	30	25	10	25000	1	5000		100							15		4
14. Morristown.....	4	37	380	200	105		5 1/2	10000	1	1000		240					50		10	175	7
15. Morristown Circuit.....	7	65	750	275			6	31000	1	3000	660	156		97	350	203	203	2	5	100	10
16. Mosheim.....	7	52	678	360	80		9	31000	2	5000		550		675	2125	305	305	4	4	515	2
17. Mountain City.....	2	20	320	280	22	12	23	26000	1	2000		60							8		8
18. Newport.....	8	29	315	65			8	6500				60						2	8	181	8
19. Cosby Larger Parish.....	6	29	315	65			8	6500	1	5500	200	30					60	2	3		6
20. Parrottsville.....	8	57	795	241	257		8	56500	1			150					272	2	3		9
21. Pittman Center.....	5	24	259	62	45		7 1/2	12500	1	1500		30					60	2	12	50	9
22. Rogersville.....	5 1/2	38	260				8	11000	1	1000		200						2	1	200	6
23. Rutledge.....	5	27	325	60			8	11000	1	1000		225		293	477	280	280		6	125	5
24. Sulphur Springs.....	5	54	704	200	70		5	30000	1	1600		300						1	1	200	6
25. Surgoinsville.....	5	34	590	50	59		5	15000	1	1200		2400							5	25	6
26. Telford.....	6	87	837	273	348		6	12000	1	4500							128	1	5	400	7
Totals.....	115	1081	13090	4870	1767	123	171	126 1/2	756200	22	\$ 61000	\$ 2110	\$ 13838	\$ 3139	\$ 4936	\$ 81663	\$ 7918	17	215	\$6446	182

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NAMES OF CHARGES			Names of Pastors			MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP											
						Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Cl'ts		Total Deficiency		Baptisms		Pre'tory Mem'ship		Full Membership						
Total Claim, includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Total Paid, House Rent, Adm. Exp'ns	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Paid	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Prep. Members Re- ceived During Year	Prep. Members Now On Roll	Received From P. M.	Received on Con- fession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Received from Other Denominations	Full Mem's on Roll incl. Inactive Mem's	Inactive Members	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year					
1. Alcoa.....	R. L. Stapleton.....	\$ 1560	\$ 1388	\$ 360	\$ 85	\$ 120	\$ 85	\$ 17	\$ 30	\$ 120	\$ 85	\$ 1575	\$ 255	6	1	2	2	1	1	5	239	80	10	1			
2. Asbury.....	G. F. Cox.....	450	411		45	41	11	9	20	18	473	47	4				22	4		168		1	9				
3. Chestnut Hill.....	E. W. Pelleaux.....	1160	1040	120	104	93	24	16	104	80	1229	163	8	14			22	1		728	94	2	7				
4. Dandridge.....	A. W. Thompson.....	1515	1515	180	133	133	27	27	133	133	1808	152	1	45	45	40	9	1		735	36		8				
5. Fair Garden.....	R. M. Huff.....	650	557	25	62	43	15	3	33	3	5	608	152	1	9				1	333	36		8				
6. Friendsville.....	G. L. Shupe.....	900	900	100	80	78	20	8	64	16	1002	62	1	13	14	6	8	14		411	75	10	2				
7. Jefferson City.....	R. E. Walker.....	600	600		60	50	12	10	36	30	590	118			2				2	367	62						
8. Knoxville: Burlington.....	W. M. Bull.....	1620	1620		132	132	33	33	132	132	1917		14				13	1	5	308	56	7	1				
9. East Main Avenue.....	Chas. M. Turner.....	700	700	150	70	70	18	75	70	70	858		13	28	3	8	2	36	2	229	42	1	2				
10. First Church.....	J. Homer Slutz.....	3600	3600		300	300	75	30	300	300	4275		3	1	1		1	2	848	25	10	10					
11. Inskip.....	C. V. Bellamy.....	900	876	300	60	58	15	14	36	35	983	28	9	2	11		11	11	167	60		8					
12. Lonsdale.....	W. C. Martin.....	1900	1900	400	150	50	30	10	150	40	2000	230	1		1		1	8	298	66	5	3					
13. Oakwood.....	C. B. Tarwater.....	1900	1900	400	150	150	37	37	150	150	2237	230	12	4	4		14	32	18	514	70	18	4				
14. Park City.....	Solon McNeese.....	2100	2100	300	180	100	45	25	180	50	2275	230		1			1	8	15	523	53	18	4				
15. Second Church.....	G. J. Creswell.....	2700	3060	360	220	270	60	60	245	245	3635		9	49	80	80	14	14	27	2203	383	46	21				
16. South Knoxville.....	J. A. King, Assoc.....	1000	1000	360	64	64	16	16	41	41	1120			17	34		17	17	8	292	50	1	5				
17. Trinity.....	F. T. Branson.....	2600	2600	500	210	210	52	52	210	210	3072			11	11	3	7	11	3	660	92	15	4				
18. Vestal.....	W. R. Curtis.....	1600	1600	300	130	130	32	32	130	130	1892		3	6			7	1	15	361	30	1	4				
19. Whittle Springs.....	A. J. Murphy.....	1500	1600	324	117	70	29	18	117	70	1658	105	2	3	3	10	3	5	9	232	60	6	1				
20. Knoxville Circuit.....	Frank C. Mason.....	1300	1300	300	100	100	25	25	100	100	1525		8	8			10	3	4	371	75	2	2				
21. Little River.....	Perry T. Rule.....	1080	1080	150	93	93	18	12	90	26	1211	70					1	1	1	553	100	1	1				
22. Maryville.....	O. R. Tarwater.....	3000	3000	600	240	240	60	60	240	240	3540		2	10	14	14	14	28	10	631	28	6	2				
23. Maryville Circuit.....	C. E. Pickering.....	1150	1150	100	105	105	26	26	105	105	1386		7	24	17	17	14	6	22	569	86	1	2				
24. Meadow Circuit.....	R. C. Barnes.....	375	319		37	37	9	8	37	15	369	89		20	20		30	6	10	272	35	2	2				
25. New Salem.....	W. L. Roberts.....	790	659	120	67	53	16	13	33	27	752	4	4	4			17	1	5	255	84	5	5				
26. Pigeon Forge.....	W. E. O. Robeson.....	1020	1020	120	90	86	24	24	81	81	1211	6	14				17	1	7	707	106	3	1				
27. Sevierville.....	W. C. Harris.....	1700	1700	500	120	120	30	24	120	120	1964		1	6	6	4	4	7	5	202	86	1	6				
28. Sevierville Circuit.....	W. L. Hart.....	850	754	100	75	70	18	16	56	49	889	110	1				16	2		338	86		2				
29. Thorn Grove.....	W. H. Branam.....	550	594	50	60	55	15	8	36		652	109								356	252		8				
30. Townsend & Tremont.....	Glenn Lippse.....	1620	1620	420	120	40	30	10	120	25	1695	195								61	20	8					
Totals.....			\$42490	\$41963	\$6639	\$3544	\$3121	\$ 852	\$ 696	\$3289	\$2628	\$48408	\$2127	88	316	247	63	194	249	184	139	14028	2181	165	137		



# STATISTICS No. 2—KNOXVILLE DISTRICT—1937

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools				Epworth League			Church Property										Miscellaneous			
	Number of Church Schools	Officers and Teachers		Enrolled in All Depts. Church School Current Expenses	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not includ. Interest	Present Indebtedness includ. Current Expenses	Current Expenses not includ. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Amt. Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	No. Congregations or Preaching Places
1. Alcoa.....	1	21	213	120	67		15	1	8000		1	\$ 2000							6	473	1
2. Asbury.....	2	14	172	54	50			3	4500		1		\$ 200						1	50	3
3. Chestnut Hill.....	6	45	500		123		14	6	10000		2000		145			310	1	8	114	6	
4. Dandridge.....	6	68	534	328	141			6	21000		1000		378			385	2	5		6	
5. Fair Garden.....	5	39	361	141	109			6	7500		1000		100		25	40	100	2	2	104	5
6. Friendsville.....	5	31	406	109	89			5	8000		1500		105				74	2	1	65	4
7. Jefferson City.....	4	34	435	96	52			4	6500												
8. Knoxville:																					
9. Burlington.....	1	14	330	147	39	18		1	4750				989				249		1	110	1
10. East Main Avenue.....	1	17	224	165	18			1	9000		1800		1500				225	2	20	425	1
11. First Church.....	1	38	504	586	48			1	90000		3125		195		1040	16200	5030		31	449	1
12. Inskip.....	1	15	97	54	18			1	10000		1				73		301		2	443	1
13. Lonsdale.....	1	17	239	115	18	22	17	1	7000		3000		189				423	1	12	392	1
14. Oakwood.....	1	26	445	175				1	70000		3000		4000		5022	14800	450	2	5	140	1
15. Park City.....	1	37	344	182	30			1	40000		1500		4000		300		770		11	250	1
16. Second Church.....	1	78	1748	850	107	65	70	1	80000	2	12000		1200		3000	10000	7125	4	21		1
17. South Knoxville.....	1	12	189	188	33			1	70000		2000	250	185		415	1285	603		1		1
18. Trinity.....	1	29	370	212	25			1	60000		5000		500		660	17000	2500		4	550	1
19. Vestal.....	1	27	265	120	16		22	1	50000		3000		150		719	13358	591		1	276	1
20. Whittle Springs.....	1	21	169	85	16			1	12000		1000	3000	105		29	900	225		1	169	1
21. Knoxville Circuit.....	4	39	350	165	85			4	10000		3000		401				175		8	278	4
22. Little River.....	6	50	450	215	25	20	30	6	10000		1500		300		200	200	225	2	12	155	6
23. Maryville.....	3	32	463	432	38	22		1	80000		6000		150		300	9838	860		16	385	1
24. Maryville Circuit.....	5	45	425	145	75			4	18000		1		500		15	300	200		3	160	5
25. Meadow Circuit.....	3	23	230	50	35	35		4	3600				612			80	60		2	65	4
26. New Salem.....	4	43	344	170	40			4	13150		1500		20						1	7	4
27. Pigeon Forge.....	5	50	425	250	100			9	9000		1500		300					2	5	175	5
28. Sevierville.....	1	20	132	121				1	17500		8000		50				250		10	220	1
29. Sevierville Circuit.....	3	22	159	114	54			2	9000		1000		165				53		2	19	4
30. Thorn Grove.....	4	30	302	82				5	5200		1000		100				82		1		5
31. Townsend & Tremont.....	2	18	168	76	40			5									207			84	2
Totals.....	79	975	11043	5547	1225	172	180	81	\$680700	22	\$ 64425	\$ 5250	\$ 9489	\$ 3852	\$ 12810	\$ 8504	\$21598	21	194	\$5551	84

# STATISTICS No. 1—RECAPITULATION—1937

Name of District Superintendent		MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP														
		Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con. Cl'ms		Total Paid for Ministerial Support		Total Deficiency		Baptism		Prep'tory Membership		Full Membership							
		Total Claim, includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim House Rent, Adm. Exps	Total Paid, House Rent, Adm. Exps	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Prep. Members Re- ceived During Year	Prep. Members Now On Roll	Received From P. M.	Received on Con- fession of Faith	Received by Transfer	Received from Other Denominations	Full Mem's on Roll Incl. Inactive Mem's	Inactive Members	Removed by Transfer	Deaths During Year				
1. Bristol.....	F. D. Watson.....	\$ 18338	\$ 17386	\$ 3806	\$ 1551	\$ 1380	\$ 383	\$ 291	\$ 1145	\$ 834	\$ 19891	\$ 1997	69	465	69	110	22	84	462	95	42	8437	907	41	80	
2. Chattanooga.....	E. C. Wareing.....	37026	36968	6606	3168	3032	759	703	2805	2687	41296	1410	52	175	52	103	121	52	207	193	81	8107	1482	175	54	
3. Harrison.....	J. M. Hampton.....	26026	23950	5174	2043	1939	507	376	1604	1089	27354	1836	55	84	55	96	31	48	102	67	25	6462	1354	107	53	
4. Johnson City.....	J. E. Milburn.....	35258	33537	5587	2936	2712	730	641	2727	2845	39235	2499	60	275	60	246	104	155	245	108	53	14293	1437	120	103	
5. Knoxville.....	W. H. Ragan.....	42490	41963	6639	3544	3121	852	696	3289	2628	48408	2127	88	316	88	247	53	194	249	184	139	14028	82131	165	134	
Totals, 1937.....		\$159638	\$152704	\$28112	\$13242	\$12184	\$3231	\$2707	\$11570	\$9533	\$176184	\$ 9794	324	1315	324	802	331	533	1265	647	340	51327	7311	603	424	
Totals, 1936.....		156734	148842	26330	13197	12150	3219	2593	13031	9558	173137	12905	347	1241	347	945	987	945	1486	1486	849	52231	6977	603	418	
Increase.....		\$ 2904	\$ 3962	\$ 1782	\$ 45	\$ 4	\$ 12	\$ 214	\$ 25	\$ 3047	\$ 74	74	155	614	953	221	202	904	384	5	6	6	6	6	6	
Decrease.....																										



# STATISTICS No. 2—RECAPITULATION—1937

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Schools				Epworth League		Church Property										Miscellaneous						
	Number of Church Schools		Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Depts. Inc. Cradle Roll, Etc.	Church School Expenses	Seniors and Young People	Intermediate	Juniors	Church Buildings		Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds, Etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid for Interest on Indebtedness	Paid on Old Indebtedness, not incl. Interest	Present Indebtedness	Current Expenses not incl. Ministerial Sup.	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocate	Ladies' Aid Society	No. Congregations or Preaching Places
1. Bristol.....	86	609	7342	2005	464	97	125	96	\$ 321,000	20	\$491,000	\$ 1000	\$ 3957	\$ 2385	\$ 6146	\$ 39400	\$ 3348	27	62	\$ 2718	104		
2. Chattanooga.....	52	567	6604	4337	1002	70	314	57	796500	21	81000	20000	28316	4859	3749	190273	19216	11	126	5159	59		
3. Hartman.....	71	521	5482	2421	781	68	92	79	360200	25	57900	1000	8138	134	369	2620	2960	16	79	3313	82		
4. Johnson City.....	115	1081	13090	4870	1767	123	171	126½	756200	22	61000	2110	13383	3139	4935	81563	7913	17	215	5446	132		
5. Knoxville.....	79	975	11043	5547	1225	172	180	81	640700	22	64425	5250	9489	3852	12810	85946	21598	21	194	5551	84		
Totals, 1937.....	403	3753	43561	19180	5239	530	882	439½	\$2973100	110	\$313425	\$29360	\$ 63783	\$ 14369	\$ 28009	\$399802	\$55035	92	676	\$22187	461		
Totals, 1936.....	416½	3843	45227	18380	5663	575	913	460	3027180	113	329300	29410	38698	.....	76093	416369	53474	96	742	19475	462		
Increase.....	12½	90	1666	990	424	45	31	20½	\$ 54050	3	\$ 15875	1950	\$ 25085	.....	.....	\$ 1561	.....	.....	.....	3712	1		
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	66	.....	.....		

# CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS, BRISTOL DISTRICT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

NAMES OF CHARGES	No. of Schools	No. Classes Under 18 Yrs.	Classes Using Grd. Lessons	No. Org. Depts. Meet. Sep.	ENROLLMENT					Pupils, includ. H. D., who Are Church or Prep. Members	Accessions during the year. to Church from Church Sch.	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Ch. Sch. to W. S., not includ. Rally Day Offering	Paid by Church School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.	LEADERSHIP TRAINING			VACATION SCHOOLS			WEEK DAY SCHOOLS						
					Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Nursery Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment							Average Attendance	Enrollment	Methodist Training Classes	Enrollment	Interdenominational Classes	Enrollment	No. of Vacation Schools	No. of Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Vacation Schools	Methodist Week-day Schools	No. Paid Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled
1. Bristol, First Church.....	1	9	10	6	28	290			318	155	537	16	\$ 116	\$ 224														
2. Bristol Circuit.....	2	2			19	154			173	92		2	28		65													
3. Christiansburg.....	3				36	444			480	300				150														
4. Clinch Valley.....	6		7		12	63			75	60		4		40														
5. Floyd.....	6				40	490			530	380				100														
6. Fries.....	6	14			38	389			427	296		12	4	104														
7. Greendale and Glenford.....	6				43	382			425	250		65	7	25														
8. Hilton.....	3	15	25		15	100			115	60				25														
9. Marion.....	6	15			35	525			565	400		7	55	100														
10. Nockelsville.....	4	4			37	375			412	295				50														
11. Patonsville & Gate City.....	8	11	14		26	359			385	310		2	14	65														
12. Radford.....	1	9			15	245			260	147		16	72	75														
13. Riner.....	4				28	296			324	100				100														
14. Roanoke, First Church.....	3	10			33	357			420	250		12	22	225														
15. Roanoke, Villa Heights.....	1	6		2	15	127	19		161	90		14	3	48														
16. Rose Hill.....	3				20	213			233	142				97														
17. Russell.....	8		7		40	515			555	350				50														
18. St. Charles.....	3	18	12	3	30	370			400	225				150														
19. Salem.....	1	7			18	345			358	175		10	90	148														
20. Wytheville.....	4	4	7		28	256			354	133		4		48														
21. Jonesville.....	4		2		16	137			153	45				12														
22. Pennington Gap.....	3	19	10	5	42	385	18	30	470	220		15		100														
Totals.....	86	129	87	16	609	6947	37	30	7628	4475	537	138	83	531	132	\$2005	2	61	21	5	20	243	21					

# CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS, CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

NAMES OF CHARGES	No. of Schools	No. Classes Under 18 Yrs.	Classes Using Grd. Lessons	No. Org. Depts Meet. Sep.	ENROLLMENT					Pupils, Includ. H. D., who are Church or Prep. Members	Accessions during the year, to Church from Church Sch.	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Ch. Sch. to W. S., not Includ. Rally Day Offering	Paid by Church School to All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.	LEADERSHIP TRAINING			VACATION SCHOOLS				WEEK DAY SCHOOLS			
					Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Nursery Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance						Methodist Training Classes	Enrollment	Interdenominational Classes	Enrollment	No. of Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Vacation Schools	Methodist Week-day Schools	No. Paid Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Week-Day Schools
1. Athens.....	1	7	9	3	25	234	10	6	275	188	6	15	\$ 59		\$ 230	1	35		1	5						
2. Athens Parish.....	5	9	2		19	250	1		251	130			32		40											
3. Cleveland.....																										
4. First Church.....	1	16	16	6	36	580	40	25	346	174	19	50	68	56	316	3	48		1	13	80	12				
5. Parish No. 1.....	6	7			27				607	492	4				102											
6. Parish No. 2.....	8	8			22	150			172	130					35											
7. Big Springs.....	3			9	13	146			159	85					90				1	4	62					
8. Chattanooga:.....																										
9. Alton Park.....	1	6	3	4	16	160			176	112	4	15	108		104			1	4	40	4					
10. Avondale.....	1	1	5		12	235			247	165		22	177		69											
11. East Ridge.....	1	15	13	6	13	250		15	263	152	8	15	175		128											
12. First Church.....	1	8	2	2	30	315	10	15	370	212	75	28	146		153	7	40									
13. Highland Park.....	1	1			24	273	8	13	318	175	80	12	50	120	221	1	20									
14. Manker Memorial.....	1	8			18	256	4		274	164		11	99		80				7	35	10					
15. Red Bank.....	1	11	8	5	31	370	12	10	423	225	31							1	23							
16. Ridgetale.....	1	8	5	4	14	128			142	95		38			110				1	14	114	19				
17. St. James.....	1	8	1	4	17	205			222	140	132	50	60		247				1	45		5				
18. St. Marks.....	1	13		5	36	359	19		414	243	32		16		502	1	24									
19. Coalmont Parish.....	4				16	156		11	262	147	172	3	45	5	379											
20. Copper Hill.....	1	13	3	2	22	213			287	187					160				3	3	102	12				
21. Daisy Parish.....	3	9			30	257			287	187		25	25		160											
22. Englewood.....	2	6			18	142			160	96	2	18	24	11												
23. Etowah.....	1	1	3	3	35	184	12	14	245	138	134	9	17	44	176	2	25		1	8	78	12				
24. Fairmount.....	5	6			30	170			200	115	6	34	20													
25. North Athens and Niota.....	2	5	6		16	185			201	125					115				2	8	65	2				
26. Soddy.....	1	7	8	5	18	192			210	135	7	15	35	11	110											
27. South Pittsburg.....	3	6	4		18	233			251	127	6	2	84		56				1	8	20	1				
28. Etowah Parish.....	2				11	47			58	39			12		20											
Totals.....	54	194	75	59	567	5990	132	94	6707	4031	832	209	\$407	\$1192	\$3688	17	227		15	115	596	77				

# CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS, HARRIMAN DISTRICT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

## NAMES OF CHARGES

No. of Schools		No. Classes Under 18 Yrs.	Classes Using Grd. Lessons	No. Org. Depts Meet. Sep.	ENROLLMENT						Pupils, Includ. H. D., who are Church or Prep. Members	Accessions during the year, to Church from Church Sch.	Rally Day Offering	Paid by Ch. Sch. to W. S., not Includ. Rally Day Offering	All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.	LEADERSHIP TRAINING				VACATION SCHOOLS				WEEK DAY SCHOOLS					
					Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Nursery Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance							Methodist Training Classes	Interdenominaional Classes	Enrollment	No. of Vacation Schools	No. of Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Vacation Schools	Methodist Week-day Schools	No. Paid Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Week-Day Schools			
1. Beaver Ridge and Solway.....	2	6	5	2	17	258			275	135	14	8	50		75															
2. Clinton.....	1	6	5		14	146			160	80	6	15	12		80															
3. Crossville.....	3	8			31	359			400	240																				
4. Dayton.....	2	4			21	238	15		274	111	3		100		45															
5. Decatur and Erie Circuit.....	4	5			22	350			402	185			8		50															
6. Graysville.....	5	9			30	290			260	200			48																	
7. Harriman.....	2	7	7	6	16	155			171	84	2	30	66		150															
8. Heiskell.....	4	9	3		38	187			225	175	3	15	47		30															
9. Ironsboro Parish.....	5	4			30	315			350	245	8	8	30		30															
10. Jacksboro and Newcomb.....	4	4	4	4	20	180			200	110	3	15	75		80															
11. Jellico.....	2	1	7	8	26	290	8		324	182	10	35	39	20	135															
12. Kingston.....	3	7	3	3	24	216			240	145	95		81		67															
13. LaFollette.....	1	6	5	3	18	118	13	17	162	86	127	1	32		85															
14. Lenoir City.....	1	8	6	3	15	200			215	150	4	5			150															
15. Loudon.....	2	6			20	229			249	180	13																			
16. Maynardville.....	4	6			33	267			300	225																				
17. New Tazewell.....	5	5			38	267			307	115	3	30	24		100															
18. Oakdale.....	1	10	3	3	20	187			207	115					30															
19. Oliver Springs.....	4	4			20				200						30															
20. Oneida.....	1	4		8	8	64			72	40	45	15			106															
21. Patten Community Center.....	5	5			20	180			200																					
22. Rockwood.....	1	6	6	3	16	200	6	10	232	110	15	12			163															
23. Sunbright and Burrville.....	3	9			25	236			261	160	2	10	51		180															
24. Vine Grove.....	4	8			22	136			208	160	1		22	3	100															
25. Wells Spring.....	3	6			22	230			252	175		15			50															
Totals.....	72	164	45	29	542	5001	27	42	5867	3293	370	91	\$280	\$735	\$ 23	\$1816	5	37	11	38	496	\$ 34	1	2	25	\$ 15				



# CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS, JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

## NAMES OF CHARGES

NAMES OF CHARGES	No. of Schools	No. Classes Under 18 Yrs.	Classes Using Grd. Lessons	No. Org. Depts. Meet. Sep.	ENROLLMENT						LEADERSHIP TRAINING				VACATION SCHOOLS				WEEK DAY SCHOOLS								
					Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Nursery Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment	Average Attendance	Methodist Training Classes	Interdenominational Classes	Enrollment	No. of Vacation Schools	No. of Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Vacation Schools	Methodist Week-day Schools	No. Paid Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Week-Day Schools						
1. Baileytown.....	6	14			60	396			456	260	300	29	\$ 193				2	14	70	\$ 8							
2. Chuckey.....	5	12			51	517			562	275		8	203														
3. Elizabethton.....	1	7			19	135			154	92		20															
4. Elizabethton Circuit.....	5	7			37	563			600	400		30	125				4	17	160	10							
5. Fall Branch.....	4	11		3	36	314			350	197		10	91														
6. Lynn Garden and Morrisons.....	1 1/2	8	20		32	359			381	220		16	89														
7. Greeneville.....	1	12	3	6	33	437	30	6	566	317	400	31	634				1	8	151	25							
8. Greeneville Circuit.....	7	17			54	693			747	550	2	3	200				4	10	107	5							
9. Johnson City.....	1	22	7		42	690	12	20	574	320	250	7	25				1	16	118					3	14	76	
10. Johnson City Circuit.....	6				41	408			449	368		17	6														
11. Kingsport.....	1	18	18	7	36	426	14	7	483	237	412	11	30			39	5	1	17	87	40						
12. Kingsport Circuit.....	6	12			45	482			527	267		18	39														
13. Limestone.....	5				54	671			725	435		5	25														
14. Morristown.....	1	9	6	6	33	250	10	10	303	144	136	21	100				1	15	113	10							
15. Morristown Circuit.....	4	12			37	343			380	210	280	10	30				3	15	110	15							
16. Mosheim.....	7				65	685			750	450																	
17. Mountain City.....	7	24	10		52	626			678	401		20															
18. Newport.....	2	6		3	20	290	10		320	172		4	115				1	8	75	8							
19. Cosby Larger Parish.....	6	8			29	286			315	175	215		16				6	5	140	20							
20. Parrottsville.....	8				57	738			795	614			65				1	4	46								
21. Pittman Center.....	5	10	5	2	24	235			259	175	95	22	15				2	4	68	40							
22. Rogersville.....	5 1/2				38	292			260	147			27														
23. Rutledge.....	5				27	298			325	275		28	30				3	20	60								
24. Sulphur Springs.....	5				54	650			704	350																	
25. Sargonsville.....	6				34	556			590	351																	
26. Telford.....	6	16	27		87	741	9		837	604		21	55				4	63									
Totals.....	116	225	89	37	1081	11881	85	43	13090	8009	2090	226	\$480	1094	\$923	\$3944	18	438	5	39	34	2201	1458	\$199	3	14	75



# CHURCH SCHOOL STATISTICS, KNOXVILLE DISTRICT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

NAMES OF CHARGES	No. of Schools	No. Classes Under 18 Yrs.	Classes Using Grd. Lessons	No. Org. Depts. Meet. Sep.	ENROLLMENT					Pupils, Includ. H. D., who Are Church or Prep. Members	Accessions during the year. to Church from Church Sch.	Paid by Ch. Sch. to W. S., not Includ. Rally Day Offering	All Other Benevolences	Expenses for Lesson Materials, Supplies, Etc.	LEADERSHIP TRAINING				VACATION SCHOOLS				WEEK DAY SCHOOLS									
					ENROLLMENT										Enrollment	Interdenominational Classes	Enrollment	No. of Vacation Schools	No. of Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Vacation Schools	Methodist Week-day Schools	No. Paid Teachers and Helpers	Pupils Enrolled	Total Expenses of Week-day Schools							
					Officers and Teachers	Pupils of All Grades	Nursery Roll	Home Department	Total Enrollment																	Average Attendance						
1. Alcoa.....	1	16	2	2	21	183	9	213	125	213	3	\$ 28	\$ 60	\$ 120	2	25			1	5	40											
2. Asbury.....	2	15	5		14	158	9	172	120	172		12	36	54	2																	
3. Chestnut Hill.....	3	6			45	500		500	250	500																						
4. Dandridge.....	6	18	3	2	68	501	11	8	584	300		29	92	328							1	11	84	38								
5. Fair Garden.....	5	8			39	322			361	249			12	141																		
6. Friendsville.....	5	12	4		31	375			406	201		18	28	109							3	15	128	8								
7. Jefferson City.....	4				34	401			435	200		8	52	96																		
8. Knoxville: Burlington.....	1	8			14	316			380	213	175	28	128	147																		
9. East Main Ave.....	1	8	17	2	17	177	20	10	224	120		25	25	165																		
10. First Church.....	1	10	3	5	38	399	16	51	504	248	352	75	127	24	586	1	10															
11. Inskip.....	1	6		2	15	82			97	58	55	14	36	50																		
12. Lonsdale.....	1	9		9	17	201	10	11	239	153				115																		
13. Oakwood.....	1	11	3	4	26	344	35	40	445	200		19	40	175																		
14. Park City.....	1	14	14	7	27	275	12	20	388	175	288	1	32	128							1	11	78	10								
15. Second Church.....	1	30		10	78	1480	126	65	1748	780		75		25																		
16. South Knoxville.....	1	8		8	12	177			189	138		12	41	188																		
17. Trinity.....	1	14	11	7	29	288	13	40	370	212		46	74	98							1	3	20	5								
18. Vestal.....	1	13	5	3	27	232	6		265	156	158	13		120																		
19. Whittle Springs.....	1	8		8	21	148			169	86		17	23	85																		
20. Knoxville Circuit.....	4	5			39	311			350	185		11	28	165							1	3	25	3								
21. Little River.....	6	14	25		50	400			450	300		5	17	215							1	2	30									
22. Maryville.....	1	18	6		52	368	18	25	463	297		54	70	432							1	8	40	10								
23. Maryville Circuit.....	5	12	18		45	380			425	260		20	73	145							4	14	146	6								
24. Meadow Circuit.....	3	7			23	207			250	200	175	11		50																		
25. New Salem.....	4	10	4		43	260	3	38	344	150		12	132	170																		
26. Pigeon Forge.....	5				50	375			425	225		15		250							1	5	28	3								
27. Sevierville.....	1	7		4	20	100	12		132	78		6		121																		
28. Sevierville Circuit.....	3	7			22	137			159	96		1	30	114							1	5	32	1								
29. Thorn Grove.....	4	4			30	272			302	268		14		82																		
30. Townsend & Tremont.....	2	7		3	18	150			168	107		25	42	76							2	12	119	20								
Totals.....	79	305	137	68	975	9520	560	304	11043	6630	1139	130	\$560	\$1199	\$5547	18	239			19	119	1020	\$229									

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 — BRISTOL DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conf.

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES															
Total Cash Payments For All purposes	WORLD SERVICE		Additional Contribu- tions to World Service	Total World Service	Children's Day Fund (Bd. Education)	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	District Superin- tendents	Bishops (Epis- copal Fund)	Conference Claimants	General Conference Expenses	Total Other Cash Items		
	World Service on Apportionment														
1. Bristol—First Church	\$ 310	\$ 126	\$	\$ 126	\$	\$ 35	\$ 124	\$ 285	\$ 180	\$ 45	\$ 180	\$	\$ 405		
2. Bristol Circuit	11	28		28				28	25	6	6		36		
3. Christiansburg	27	24		24				24	50	10	16		76		
4. Clinch Valley	4	4		4				4	37				37		
5. Floyd	136	92		92				92	75	18	60		153		
6. Franklin															
7. Fries City	6	26	12	38				38	50	2			52		
8. Gate City	2								33		1		34		
9. Glenford															
10. Greendale	59	27		27	3			30	55	14	28		97		
11. Hilton	9	5		5				5	30	3	3		36		
12. Jonesville									9				9		
13. Marion	112	70		70				70	83	20	60	4	167		
14. Nickelsville	29								28	1	25		55		
15. Pattonville															
16. Pennington Gap	125	110		110			38	148	50	12	50		112		
17. Radford	119	97		97				97	64	16	64		144		
18. Riner	29	13		13				13	41	10	15		67		
19. Roanoke—First Church	224	156		156				280	153	38	153		344		
20. Roanoke—Villa Heights	39	36	104	260				55	55	11			66		
21. Rose Hill	84	107	20	56			4	11	54	10	16		80		
22. Russell	24			107											
23. Richland															
24. St. Charles	98	85	5	90				90	90	18	50	4	162		
25. St. Charles Circuit															
26. Salem	76	142		142			4	142	135	32	130	3	300		
27. Wytheville	52	19		19	6			29	57	14	29		100		
Totals	\$ 1575	\$ 1166	\$ 141	\$ 1307	\$ 9	\$ 35	\$ 170	\$ 1521	\$ 1392	\$ 283	\$ 907	\$ 11	\$ 2593		

NOTE—This District audited, entered and balanced by T. O. Marshall, Assistant Treasurer.

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937—BRISTOL DISTRICT (Continued)

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

### NAMES OF CHARGES

	Tennessee Wesleyan College	Murphy Collegiate Institute	Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Evangelistic Assistance	Red Cross	Reserve Pension Fund	Y. P. W.	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Area Expense Fund	District Parsonage	Total Annual Conference Benevolences, Etc.	Grand Total Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, Other Cash Items
1. Bristol—First Church	\$ 6						\$ 145		\$ 9	\$ 5			\$ 165	\$ 855
2. Bristol Circuit														64
3. Christiansburg							150		3	4	3		1	101
4. Clinch Valley							30		1	2				41
5. Floyd	5						208			2			215	660
6. Franklin														
7. Fries							51			1				90
8. Gate City													52	86
9. Glenford														
10. Greendale	3						150		3	4	3		163	290
11. Hilton							30		1	2			33	74
12. Jonesville														9
13. Marion														
14. Nickelsville														
15. Pattonville														
16. Pennington Gap							16			3			2	240
17. Radford										1			17	72
18. Riner										2			3	263
19. Roanoke—First Church			3				43	5	1	1			52	293
20. Roanoke—Villa Heights							33			3			36	116
21. Rose Hill							130		7	4			141	745
22. Russell							20		2				24	145
23. Richland							165			1			166	357
24. St. Charles							165			1			1	62
25. St. Charles Circuit														
26. Salem							72		5	3			80	332
27. Wytheville							185						195	637
Totals	\$ 14		3				110		3	2			115	244
								5	37	42	3		\$ 1462	\$ 5576

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 — CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conf.

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NOTE—This District audited, entered and balanced by George E. Blanchard, Assistant Treasurer.



# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937—CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT (Continued)

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Tennessee Wesleyan College	Murphy College Institute	Morristown Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Evangelistic Assistance	Red Cross	Ministerial Training	Reserve Pension Fund	Methodist Youth Fund	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Area Expense Fund	Total Annual Conference Benevolences, Etc.	Grand Total Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, Other Cash Items
	\$ 110	\$ 20	\$	\$ 15	\$	\$	\$ 3	\$ 355	\$ 9	\$ 7	\$	\$	\$ 499	\$ 1677
1. Athens—First Church								61					81	165
2. Athens Parish	20							74	4				78	315
3. Athens—North and Niota								335	10	5			455	1665
4. Cleveland—First Church	100						5	70					71	135
5. Cleveland Parish 1								38	2	1			41	105
6. Cleveland Parish 2														
7. Chattanooga Churches:														
8. Alton Park	24						2	20	5	3			54	416
9. Avondale	30							109	7	8			139	677
10. First Church	31						6	125	13	16			191	2852
11. Highland Park	110			25				257	11	10			413	2700
12. Manker Memorial				10				17	5	1			42	400
13. Red Bank	9							25	7	5			37	583
14. Ridgedale							2	60	6	4			72	581
15. Saint James					287			64	8	3			362	1135
16. Saint Mark's	110			10			5	179	9	6			319	1636
17. Jones Memorial								90	4	2			96	496
18. Copperhill	110			15			3	380	9	7			524	1481
19. Daisy									8	1			4	119
20. Englewood								50		3			53	293
21. Etowah—First Church	20						3	17846	8	5			17882	18633
22. Etowah Circuit								45	1	1			47	80
23. Fairmount								43					43	171
24. South Pittsburg									3	1			4	98
25. Coalmont Parish													11	11
26. Big Springs								37	2	2			41	158
27. Ironsburg														
28. Soddy								70					71	346
Totals	\$ 664		\$	\$ 75	\$ 287		\$ 29	\$20350	\$ 8	\$ 124	\$ 87		\$21619	\$86988



# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 — HARRIMAN DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conf.														
NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	WORLD SERVICE		Total World Service	Children's Day Fund (Bd. Education)	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	SUPPORT OF				General Conference Expenses	Total Other Cash Items	
	World Service on Apportionment	Additional Contribu- tions to World Service						District Superin- tendents	Bishops (Eplis- copal Fund)	Conference Claimants				
1. Andersonville and Heiskell	\$ 55	\$ 81	\$ 81	\$ 81	\$	\$	\$ 81	\$ 60	\$ 15	\$ 29	\$ 3	\$ 107		
2. Beaver Ridge and Solway	38	100	100				115	100	25	5		130		
3. Big Valley and Maynardville	11							20	1	10		31		
4. Clinton	175	75	75		39	24	138	160	40	80		280		
5. Crossville	71	49	49				49	70	17	19	3	109		
6. Dayton	149	100	100			3	102	95	10	86		191		
7. Decatur	10	8	8				8							
8. Grayville	24	48	48		22		70	33	3	12		48		
9. Harriman	135	98	98		52		150	124	31	124		279		
10. Jacksboro and Newcomb	58	41	4	43			45	27	7	27		61		
11. Jellico	209	135	135	6		34	175	125	30	120	8	283		
12. Kingston	99	10	17	27		27	54	85	21	68	2	176		
13. LaFollette	126	96	96		76		172	90	22	81	4	197		
14. Lenoir City	152	74	16	90	5	56	151	110	28	90	1	229		
15. Lenoir City Circuit														
16. Loudon	68	37	37		24		61	92	5	53		150		
17. New Tazewell	89	57	6	63			63	65	16	45	2	123		
18. Oakdale	224	53	30	83	42	24	149	120	30	120	8	278		
19. Oliver Springs								50				50		
20. Oneida	55	37	37				37	72	7	21		100		
21. Patten Community Center	24	5	5	5			5	60	6	12		78		
22. Rockwood	191	79	79		67	86	232	120	30	120	4	274		
23. Sunbright and Burville	73	71	71				71	53	14	28	8	98		
24. Vine Grove	50	48	48		1		49	55	13	38	3	104		
25. Wall Springs	17	16	16				16	36				36		
26. Ironsburg	31	48	1	49	7		56	44	5	10		59		
Totals	\$ 2137	\$ 1365	\$ 74	\$ 1439	\$ 19	\$ 322	\$ 269	\$ 204	\$ 1866	\$ 376	\$ 1193	\$ 41	\$ 3476	

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937--HARRIMAN DISTRICT (Continued)

ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

## NAMES OF CHARGES

	Tennessee Wesleyan College	Murphy Collegiate Institute	Morrisstown Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Red Cross	Ministerial Training	Reserve Pension Fund	Methodist Youth	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Total Annual Conference Benevolences, Etc.	Grand Total Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, Other Cash Items
1. Andersonville and Heiskell	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	69 \$	\$	\$	2 \$	\$ 74	\$ 262
2. Beaver Ridge and Solway							74				79	324
3. Big Valley and Maynardville												31
3. Clinton												26
5. Crossville							22			4		444
6. Dayton							99			2		104
7. Decatur							110			3		262
8. Graysville							94			5		118
9. Harriman							69			2		412
10. Jacksboro and Newcomb							2			2		96
11. Jellico							105			1		104
12. Kingston							20			4		190
13. LaFollette	50						205			3		540
14. Lenoir City	15						51			5		129
15. Lenoir City Circuit	25						46			3		23
16. Loudon							16			5		129
17. New Tazewell	8						15			2		23
18. Oakdale	10						69			3		274
19. Oliver Springs							28	10		4		48
20. Oneida												50
21. Patten Community Center							148			2		289
22. Rockwood							35			1		36
23. Sunbright and Burrville							109			2		119
24. Vine Grove							53			2		117
25. Well Springs							7			2		226
26. Ironsburg							34			1		9
Totals	\$ 103 \$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 3 \$	\$ 4 \$	\$ 1478 \$	\$ 10 \$	\$ 63 \$	\$ 50 \$	\$ 2 \$	\$ 1713 \$ 7238

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 — JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conf.																	
NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES																	
WORLD SERVICE		Total Cash Payments For All purposes		Total World Service		Children's Day Fund (Bd. Education)	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences		SUPPORT OF				Total Other Cash Items		
				World Service on Apportionment	Additional Contribu- tions to World Service				District Superin- tendents	Bishops (Epis- copal Fund)	Conference Claimants	General Conference Expenses					
1.	Baileytown	104	134	\$134	\$134				\$134	\$78	\$18	\$65		\$161			
2.	Chucky	213	200	200	200				200	90	22	90	3	206			
3.	Elizabethon—City	229	50	50	50				50	150	38	150		338			
4.	Elizabethon Circuit	80	47	47	47				47	40	10	12	2	64			
5.	Fall Branch	167	101	101	101				101	90	22	90		202			
6.	Fairfield and Lynn Garden	127	54	54	6				60	45	11	22	1	79			
7.	Greeneville	433	682	2	684	5	233	200	1122	236	56	225	8	525			
8.	Greeneville Circuit	75	59	59					59	88	13	50	151	594			
9.	Johnson City	689	359	359	23		72	332	786	260	65	260	6	594			
10.	Johnson City Circuit	93	119	119					119	51	10		9	67			
11.	Kingsport	452	359	359					416	210	50	200	7	467			
12.	Kingsport Circuit	119	133	6	139		57		139	83	21	66	3	170			
13.	Limestone	172	47	188	235		2		237	100	25	100	10	228			
14.	Morristown	488	333	5	338	5	29	136	508	210	50	200	10	470			
15.	Morristown Circuit	248	178	178	178				178	115	26	105		246			
16.	Mosheim	134	60	60	60				60	132	31	125		288			
17.	Mountain City	100	178	178	178		1	74	253	102	22	35		159			
18.	Newport	214	116	116	116				398	150	37	150		337			
19.	Newport Circuit	34	44	44	44				46	39	9	22		70			
20.	Parrottsville	268	185	185	185	4	2		189	147	40	163	8	358			
21.	Pittman Center	155	142	50	192	3			195	25	5	20		50			
22.	Rogersville	48	20	20	20				20	44	5	21		70			
23.	Rutledge	46	79	79	79				79	80	5	12		47			
24.	Sulphur Springs	210	160	160	160	19			173	108	20	100		228			
25.	Surgoinsville	35	9	9	9				9	41	10	15		66			
26.	Telford	137	76	76	76				76	96	21	47		164			
27.	Johnson City District (Bequest)																
Totals		\$ 5070	\$ 3924	\$ 251	\$ 4175	\$ 67	\$ 394	\$ 1024	\$ 5660	\$ 2760	\$ 642	\$ 2345	\$ 57	\$ 5804			

NOTE—The CAWAU Epworth League Union of Johnson City District gave twenty-four dollars on World Service not included in above statistical tables.

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937—JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT (Continued)

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Tennessee Wesleyan College	Murphy Collegiate Institute	Morristown Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Evangelistic Assistance	Reserve Pension Fund	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Sustentation Fund	Other Annual Conference Benevolence	Holston Young Peoples Work	Summer School of Ministerial Training	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Total Annual Conference Benevolences, Etc.	Grand Total Disiplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, Other Cash Items
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1. Baileyton	30					102							3	108	403
2. Chucky						611							3	644	1049
3. Elizabethon—City	10					71							4	92	480
4. Elizabethon Circuit	6												2	9	120
5. Fall Branch						311							3	318	621
6. Fairfield and Lynn Garden							9						2	13	152
7. Greeneville	56					900				14			5	1061	2708
8. Greeneville Circuit	8					241							3	251	461
9. Johnson City	126					185		26					6	350	1730
10. Johnson City Circuit						81							2	83	269
11. Kingsport	80					284		10					5	414	1297
12. Kingsport Circuit						232							3	239	548
13. Limestone	12					302							4	321	786
14. Morristown	100					492		10			5		5	637	1615
15. Morristown Circuit	52					292							3	377	801
16. Mosheim						584							3	593	941
17. Mountain City						107			89				3	206	618
18. Newport						360							4	392	1127
19. Newport Circuit						47							2	50	166
20. Parrottsville						837							6	869	1416
21. Pitman Center						5					2		2	10	255
22. Rogersville						105							2	107	197
23. Rutledge						47							2	47	173
24. Sulphur Springs	7					681							3	691	1098
25. Surgoinsville						178							2	1	76
26. Telford													1	1	1
27. Johnson City District (Bequest)													2	188	428
Totals	\$ 508	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 200	\$ 65	\$ 7045	\$ 9	\$ 46	\$ 89	\$ 14	\$ 7	\$ 111	\$ 77	\$ 871	\$ 1953



# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 — KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conf.

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Total Cash Payments		World Service on Apportionment		Additional Contributions to World Service		Total World Service		Children's Day Fund (Bd. Education)		Woman's Foreign Missionary Society		Woman's Home Missionary Society		Total Disciplinary Benevolences		District Superintendents		Bishops (Episcopal Fund)		Conference Claimants		General Conference Expenses		Total Other Cash Items
	%	\$	%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		%		
			For All Purposes	World Service on Apportionment	Additional Contributions to World Service	Total World Service	Children's Day Fund (Bd. Education)	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	District Superintendents	Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Conference Claimants	General Conference Expenses											
1. Alcoa	198	139	40	179	56	66	301	85	17	85	4	191													
2. Asbury	43	48																							
3. Chestnut Hill	207	139		139																					
4. Dandridge	217	121		121																					
5. Fairgarden	22	12		12																					
6. Friendville	68	61		61																					
7. Knoxville Churches :																									
8. Burlington	245	324	5	329	6																				
9. East Main Avenue	111	24		24																					
10. First Church	460	626	43	669	24	897	552	300	75	300															
11. Inskip	152	98		98																					
12. Lonsdale	97	69	14	83																					
13. Oakwood	215	162	3	165																					
14. Park City	279	175	7	182																					
15. Second Church	554	457	43	500																					
16. South Knoxville	181	130	10	140																					
17. Trinity	542	331	40	371																					
18. Vestal	163	47		47																					
19. Whittle Springs	122	61		61																					
20. Knoxville Circuit	152	28		28																					
21. Little River	45	22		22																					
22. Maryville	247	553	2	555	10	219	205	989	240	60	240	9	549												
23. Maryville Circuit	159	93		93																					
24. New Salem	87	131	12	143																					
25. Pigeon Forge	229	151	10	161																					
26. Sevierville	198	234	12	246																					
27. Sevierville Circuit	86	42		42																					
28. Thorn Grove	29	26		26																					
29. Townsend and Tremont	38	72		72																					
30. Jefferson City	96	55		55																					
31. Meadow	20	40		40																					
Totals	\$ 5262	\$ 4471	\$ 266	\$ 4737	\$ 48	\$ 1832	\$ 1461	\$ 8078	\$ 9120	\$ 696	\$ 2529	\$ 52	\$ 6497												

NOTE—This District audited, entered and balanced by E. E. Cavaleri, Assistant.

# TREASURER'S REPORT HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1937 KNOXVILLE DISTRICT (Continued)

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

NAMES OF CHARGES	ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.													Grand Total Discipline- ary and Annals, Other Cash Items
	Colleges	Murphy Collegiate Institute	Morristown Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Red Cross	Ethel Hospital Home	Reserve Pension Fund	Other Annual Conference Benevolences	Ministerial Training	Am. S. S. Union	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Holston Young Peoples Work	Total Annual Confer- ence Benevolences, Etc.
1. Alcoa .....	\$ 15	\$	\$	\$	\$ 10	\$	\$ 78	\$	\$	\$	\$ 6	\$ 4	\$	\$ 103
2. Asbury .....		\$ 2					10				2	2	14	\$ 595
3. Chestnut Hill .....											5	4	9	130
4. Dandridge .....							51				6	4	337	9
5. Fairgarden .....							26				26	2	61	585
6. Friendsville .....							34					2	27	89
7. Knoxville Churches :												2	36	224
8. Burlington .....	10						139				6	4		159
9. East Main Avenue .....	20										3	3	26	208
10. First Church .....	54						73					10	137	2554
11. Inskip .....						41	110			4	3	2	170	375
12. Lonsdale .....							10					4	14	197
13. Oakwood .....							51					4	55	562
14. Park City .....	20						61				9	6	77	831
15. Second Church .....	40						61					8	109	1365
16. South Knoxville .....												2	265	2
17. Trinity .....	48						42	20			10	4	124	1322
18. Vestal .....									3		6	4	13	418
19. Whittle Springs .....												4	4	247
20. Knoxville Circuit .....											3	2	6	260
21. Little River .....												2	2	98
22. Maryville .....	75						105				12	6	198	1736
23. Maryville Circuit .....							59				5	3	67	400
24. New Salem .....							19				23	2	23	262
25. Pigeon Forge .....											4	2	2	6
26. Sevierville .....							56				6	5	67	741
27. Sevierville Circuit .....							57				4	2	67	741
28. Thorn Grove .....							106						106	215
29. Townsend and Tremont .....							36				3	3	6	263
30. Jefferson City .....													37	182
31. Meadow .....							17				1	2	110	20
Totals .....	\$ 232	\$	\$	\$	\$ 10	\$ 41	\$ 1277	\$ 20	\$ 3	\$ 4	\$ 96	\$ 103	\$ 4	\$ 1840
														\$16415

# RECAPITULATION—TREASURER'S REPORT—HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES—As Ordered by General Conference																
NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Total Cash Payments For All Purposes	WORLD SERVICE		Total World Service		Children's Day Fund (Ed. Education)	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	SUPPORT OF				General Conference Expenses	Total Other Cash Items	
		World Service on Apportionment	Additional Contribu- tions to World Service	Total World Service	District Superin- tendents					Bishops (Epi- scopal Fund)	Conference Claimants					
1. Bristol District .....	\$ 1575	\$ 1166	\$ 141	\$ 1307	\$ 9	\$ 35	\$ 170	\$ 1521	\$ 1392	\$ 283	\$ 907	\$ 11	\$ 2593			
2. Chattanooga District .....	3757	4940	82	5022	66	1639	2125	8852	3097	699	2687	34	6517			
3. Harriman District .....	2137	1365	74	1439	19	322	269	2049	1866	316	1193	41	3476			
4. Johnson City District .....	5070	3924	251	4175	67	394	1024	5660	2760	642	2345	57	5504			
5. Knoxville District .....	5262	4471	266	4737	48	1832	1461	8078	3120	696	2629	52	6497			
6. Totals This Year .....	\$17801	\$15866	\$ 814	\$16680	\$ 209	\$4222	\$5049	\$26160	\$12235	\$2696	\$9761	\$ 195	\$24387			
7. Totals Last Year .....	14812			10427				19316	11789	2522	9561	254	24126			
				6253				6744	446	174	200		761			
8. Gains .....																
9. Loss .....	2989											59				

# RECAPITULATION—TREASURER'S REPORT—HOLSTON CONFERENCE, FOR 1937 (Continued)

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES, ETC.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS		Tennessee Wesleyan College	Ethel Hospital Home	Morristown Industrial School	Laymen's Association	Evangelistic Assistance	Red Cross	Ministerial Training	Reserve Pension Fund	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Sustentation Fund	Other Annual Conference Benevolences	Methodist Youth Am. S. S. Union	Travel and Entertainment Fund	Minutes Publication Fund	Secretarial Expense Fund	Area Expense Fund	Total Annual Conference Benevolences, Etc.	Grand Total Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, Other Cash Items
1.	Bristol District	\$ 14	\$	\$ 3	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 1358	\$	\$	\$	\$ 5	\$ 37	\$ 42	\$	\$	\$ 1462	\$ 5576
2.	Chattanooga District	664			75	287		29	20350				3	124	87			21619	36988
3.	Harriman District	103					3	4	1478				10	63	50	2		1713	7238
4.	Johnson City District	508			100	65		7	7045	9	46	89	14	111	77			8071	19535
5.	Knoxville District	282	41				10	3	1277			20	4	96	103			1840	16415
6.	Totals This Year	\$1571	\$ 41	\$ 3	\$ 175	\$ 352	\$ 13	\$ 43	\$31508	\$ 9	\$ 46	\$ 109	\$ 36	\$ 431	\$ 359	\$ 2	\$ 3	\$34705	\$85752
7.	Totals Last Year																	3910	47404
8.	Gains																		
9.	Loss																	\$30795	\$38348

SPECIAL NOTE—Bishop Wallace Brown gave to me a \$100 check payable to the Board of Foreign Missions, New York, a gift from the estate of W. B. Allen, for special credit to Harriman District, and designated to work by Dr. Harry B. Worley in the Theological School at Fochow. This item could not be included in statistical tables as it was paid to the Board of Foreign Missions and not to me as Treasurer. I mailed it at once to the Board in New York. Please see Board's letter elsewhere in the Minutes.—W. F. PITTS, Treasurer.



# CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

## CONFERENCE TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF CASH RE- CEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OCTOBER, 1937.

### RECEIPTS

1.—Bristol District—Cash Collections .....	\$ 1,575.00
2.—Chattanooga District—Cash Collections .....	3,757.00
3.—Harriman District—Cash Collections .....	2,137.00
4.—Johnson City District—Cash Collections .....	5,070.00
5.—Knoxville District—Cash Collections .....	5,262.00
6.—From Preachers' Aid Society, by G. F. Lockmiller, Treasurer .....	2,760.17
7.—From Churches during the year for Conference Claim- ants .....	1,514.00
8.—From R. L. Stapleton, payment on note Mrs. T. V. Peters .....	100.00
9.—Bishop Wallace E. Brown, check payable to Board Foreign Missions credit Harriman District, gift from estate W. B. Ailes .....	100.00
10.—From Reserve Pension Fund by W. M. Dye .....	400.00
11.—From Ferger Bros. by G. T. Francisco, Advocate Jour- nal Fund .....	269.00
12.—From Chartered Fund by Board Pensions and Relief....	60.00
13.—From G. E. Blanchard, Conf. Claimants, for which he had issued voucher too late to send Board of Pen- sions before Conference .....	67.00
14.—Conference Entertainment Certificate transferred to Checking Account for use if needed, with interest earned .....	348.72
15.—Earnings on Annie J. Everett Fund for Board Foreign Missions .....	24.93
16.—From Lucy Waters Fund, by G. F. Lockmiller, Treas....	33.00
17.—From Fractions undesignated from last year brought forward .....	2.50
18.—Total receipts from all sources as listed above.....	\$23,480.32

## DISBURSEMENTS BY CHECK

1.—Board Pensions and Relief for Conference Claimants.....	\$11,608.17
2.—Paid Board Pensions and Relief before Conference, Conference Claimants .....	1,514.00
3.—Paid Board Pensions and Relief from Mrs. T. V. Peters by R. L. S. ....	100.00
4.—Board Foreign Missions Bishop Brown's check .....	100.00
5.—World Service, O. W. Auman, Treasurer .....	5,553.00
6.—Geo. C. Douglas, Treasurer, Episcopal Fund .....	2,151.00
7.—C. E. Rogers, Treasurer, for Conference Schools.....	910.00
8.—O. Grant Markham, Treas. Gen. Administrative Fund....	182.00
9.—Check for Conf. Claimants, holding for Oakwood Church urgent request as Church furnace broke down, to be replaced .....	150.00
10.—Peoples Bank, Johnson City, loan to pay Supreme Court costs .....	60.00
11.—R. C. Hunter Agency, Johnson City, Treasurer's Bond..	25.00
12.—E. C. Wareing on salary from Chattanooga District....	75.00
13.—J. E. Milburn on salary from Lynn Garden reporetd to me .....	20.00
14.—Solon McNeese, Treasurer Conference Entertainment Fund .....	209.00
15.—W. E. Bishop, sustenation Fund, Johnson City District	46.00
16.—W. E. Bishop for Johnson City District Parsonage Fund	41.00
17.—J. L. Robb for Laymen's Association Fund .....	43.00
18.—Board of Education, Chicago, Children's Day Fund.....	40.00
19.—Board Foreign Missions Earnings Annie J. Everett Fund above .....	24.93
20.—Clerical help auditing and balancing reports and cash..	10.00
21.—Cicero Dobb, expenses Statistician's Office .....	2.50
22.—Expenses Treasurer's Office voted by Conference.....	6.35
23.—Long Distance to Athens Bank about deposits—Bank of Sevierville .....	1.15
24.—J. M. Hampton on salary from Harriman District.....	2.00
25.—W. H. Ragan on salary from Knoxville District .....	1.00
26.—F. D. Watson on salary from Nickelsville Church.....	1.00
27.—O. R. Tarwater for Conference Minutes Fund.....	338.50
28.—Ministerial Training Fund, R. R. Ghormley.....	8.00

29.—Board Home Missions and Church Extension from Lynn Garden .....	9.00
30.—Area Expense Fund, cash on hand but not sent yet.....	3.00
31.—Secretarial Expenses, cash on hand but not sent yet....	2.00
32.—Cash to place on interest for Conference Entertainment Fund .....	243.72
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33.—Total Disbursements and Bal. for Certificate on int.....	\$23,480.32

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### OUR CONFERENCE ENTERTAINMENT FUND

Brought Over from Other Years .....	\$243.72
Brought over from last year .....	85.87
Not used this year by Solon McNeese .....	65.80
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Total to place on interest .....	\$395.39

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NOTE:—Since Statistical tables were completed \$50.00 was paid by Alcoa Church and distributed as follows: R. L. Stapleton \$34.00; W. H. Ragan \$7.00; Conference Claimants \$7.00; Episcopal Fund \$2.00. Also \$41.00 for Johnson City District Parsonage Fund entered in wrong column by assistant for that District paid to Dr. W. E. Bishop. After paying from Conference Entertainment Fund all obligations authorized by Conference vote, we have at present on interest as listed above \$395.39 to supplement what may come in this year for next Conference.

WILLIAM F. PITTS,  
Treasurer.

Sevierville, Tennessee.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS

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### STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION TO RETIRED MINISTERS

No.	Name	Years	Annuity
1.	Amis, James H. ....	27	\$ 202.00
2.	Angel, Samuel P. ....	19	142.00
3.	Bales, George S. ....	33	248.00
4.	Bandy, William S. ....	25	188.00
5.	Bird, Jas. Turner ....	30	225.00
6.	Boling, Jas. Wm. ....	33	248.00
7.	Cardwell, J. W. ....	20	150.00
8.	Clark, Luther B. ....	29	237.00
9.	Clonce, Pulliam L. ....	18	135.00
10.	Cox, Ivan L. ....	19	142.00
11.	Davenport, M. N. ....	29½	221.00
12.	Ford, John H. ....	7	52.00
13.	Francisco, Geo. T. ....	42	315.00
14.	Graybeal, W. A. ....	15	92.00
15.	Harris, Joseph D. ....	26	131.00
16.	Hawk, Henry M. ....	34	255.00
17.	Huff, Russell M. ....	11	82.00
18.	Ketron, Albert C. ....	34	255.00
19.	Lawson, David T. ....	11	82.00
20.	Leonard, Isaac B. ....	26	195.00
21.	Leslie, Robt. L. ....	20½	154.00
22.	McKenzie, Albert B. ....	33	248.00
23.	Matney, Green W. ....	40	272.00
24.	Melear, James M. ....	42	334.00
25.	Millar, Charles W. ....	18	93.00
27.	Osborne, James ....	13	98.00
28.	Pippin, Elisha M. ....	29½	218.00
29.	Rowan, George R. ....	16	124.00
30.	Sanders, Francis P. ....	28	196.00
31.	Slagle, David C. ....	29	204.00
32.	Thurston, Edgar C. ....	12	75.00
33.	Torrey, H. M. ....	18	95.00
34.	Walker, Richard E. ....	31	232.00
35.	Woodward, Geo. W. ....	12	90.00
36.	McDonald, H. W. ....	4	30.00
37.	Boyd, E. M. ....	23	172.00
38.	Lawson, O. A. ....	23	172.00
39.	Sivils, M. L. ....	22	147.00

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Note—After the Annuity Rate had been fixed tentatively at \$7.50



it was found that sufficient funds had been received to make the rate \$8.50. First checks were sent out at the lower rate but later checks will bring the rate for the year up to \$8.50 Annuity Rate.

# STATEMENT OF DISTRIBUTION TO WIDOWS

No.	NAME	Widow's App'v'd		HOLSTON		OTHER		Total Annuity	Relief
		Years	Years	Years	Years	Yrs.	Yrs.		
1.	Atkins, Alwyn J.....	3	3	\$ 17	....	\$.....		\$ 17	\$ 20
2.	Baker, Thomas R.....	15	8	45	7	20		65	20
3.	Branam, Elisha R. ....	27	27	152	....	.....		152	.....
4.	Brown, Thos. W. ....	19	10	56	9	27		83	.....
5.	Byerly, William R. ....	26½	26½	149	....	.....		149	.....
6.	Clendennon, Geo. W. ....	15	15	84	....	.....		84	.....
7.	Conner, Thomas H. ....	27	27	152	....	.....		152	.....
8.	Cox, Joseph O. ....	21	21	118	....	.....		118	.....
9.	Creswell, Adam F. ....	5½	2½	14	3	9		23	.....
10.	Elliot, Wm. V. ....	15	15	84	....	.....		84	.....
11.	Emert, John M. ....	34	34	191	....	.....		191	.....
12.	Giles, John F. ....	16	16	90	....	.....		90	.....
13.	Goodman, Thos. E. ....	14	14	79	....	.....		79	20
14.	Grant, W. S. ....	5	5	28	....	.....		28	30
15.	Hamil, Lorenzo D. ....	32	27	152	5	14		166	.....
16.	Hooper, Wesley W. ....	32	32	180	....	.....		180	.....
17.	Ingle, Anthony H. ....	14	14	79	....	.....		79	.....
18.	Jones, William T. ....	5	5	28	....	.....		28	30
19.	Kirby, Charles L. ....	23	23	129	....	.....		129	.....
20.	McGee, J. W. ....	6	6	34	....	.....		34	30
21.	McKenzie, Hiram W. ....	27½	27½	155	....	.....		155	.....
22.	Martin, Burton M. ....	28	28	158	....	.....		158	.....
23.	Miller, W. C. ....	21½	21½	121	....	.....		121	.....
24.	Monroe, Marion H. ....	33	33	186	....	.....		186	.....
25.	Morrison, B. M. ....	11½	11½	66	....	.....		66	.....
26.	Perry, James F. ....	1	1	6	....	.....		6	.....
27.	Roberson, J. D. ....	38	26	146	12	36		182	.....
28.	Rowe, N. K. ....	13	13	73	....	.....		73	20
29.	Rumberg, J. K. ....	7	7	39	....	.....		39	.....
30.	Russell, Thos. B. ....	18	18	101	....	.....		101	.....
31.	Strange, J. S. ....	25	25	141	....	.....		141	.....
32.	Tuttle, Sherman D. ....	13	7	39	6	17		56	20
33.	Williams, Geo. C. ....	23½	2½	14	21	220		234	.....
34.	Winkler, E. J. ....	18½	4	22	14½	48		70	20
35.	Woodyard, Edw. O. ....	15½	15½	87	....	.....		87	.....
36.	Martin, W. A. ....	17	8½	48	8½	24		72	.....
37.	Rose, A. M. ....	6	6	34	....	.....		34	.....

## REPORT OF TREASURER METHODIST ADVOCATE JOURNAL

October, 1937.

To the Board of Trustees  
of the Methodist Advocate Journal:

The Office of the Treasurer of the Methodist Advocate Journal respectfully makes and submits the following report of its transactions for twelve months from October 1, 1936 to October 1, 1937.

### THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS ARE SHOWN BY THE FOLLOWING:

Received from	Principal of Fund	Earnings of Fund
1936:		
Oct. 30—Pauline D. Mooneyham, interest due 10-30-36 .....	\$	\$ 30.00
Nov. 3—J. K. Randall interest due 10-25-36.....		15.00
Nov. 10—Account principal P. E. Elder mortgage note .....	100.00	
Dec. 21—Proceeds Fox-Evatt suit.....		5.00
1937:		
Jan. 20—L. E. Limbert interest due 1-15-37.....		24.00
Jan. 30—Chas. W. Barnett interest due 1-11-37....		13.75
Feb. 10—Maude S. Moore interest due 2-2-37.....		13.75
Feb. 19—P. E. Elder interest due 2-10-37.....		2.50
Mar. 8—Bert Wells interest due 3-6-37.....		25.20
Mar. 8—Account principal Bert Wells mortgage note .....	40.00	
Mar. 8—W. B. Million interest due 3-7-37.....		18.00
Mar. 9—J. E. Baker interest due 3-7-37.....		16.50
Mar. 10—J. Livingston White interest due 3-10-37 .....		37.50
Mar. 10—Account principal of J. Livingston White mortgage note .....	160.00	
Apr. 17—J. K. Randall interest due 4-25-37.....		15.00
Apr. 28—Bert Wells interest from 3-6-37 to 4-28-37 .....		6.93
Apr. 28—Account principal of Bert Wells mortgage note .....	100.00	
Apr. 28—Pauline D. Mooneyham interest due 4-30-37 .....		30.00
May 29—Account principal of B. L. Shrader (formerly Bert Wells) mortgage note.....	50.00	
June 10—J. R. Ellis interest due 10-3-35.....		15.00
June 29—Account principal B. L. Shrader mortgage note .....	50.00	
July 15—L. E. Limbert interest due 7-15-37.....		24.00
Aug. 4—Maude S. Moore interest due 8-2-37.....		13.75
Aug. 10—Account principal B. L. Shrader mortgage note .....	50.00	
Aug. 17—C. W. Barnett interest due 7-11-37.....		13.75

Aug. 20—Balance in full P. E. Elder mortgage note .....	100.00	
Aug. 20—P. E. Elder interest in full .....		2.50
Sept. 7—B. L. Shrader interest from 4-28-37 to 9-6-37 .....		11.14
Sept. 7—W. B. Million interest due 9-7-37.....		18.00
Sept. 9—J. E. Baker interest due 9-7-37.....		16.50
Sept. 13—J. Livingston White interest due 9-10-37 .....		33.50
Sept. 13—Account principal J. Livingston White mortgage note .....	160.00	
Uninvested principal on hand .....	\$810.00	\$401.27

### DISBURSEMENTS

1937:

Feb. 1—Bond, H. Ferger, Indemnity.....	\$25.00	25.00
Net earnings, interest, 12 mos. to Oct. 1, 1937		\$376.27
Net earnings carried over as per statement of 10-1-36 .....		3.11
Refund account advances on Holland taxes....		23.26
Net rents Tucker Street property to Oct. 1, 1937 .....		127.87
Net rents Third Avenue property to Oct. 1, 1937 .....		14.03
Net earnings on hand .....		\$544.54

#### Disbursement of Earnings:

Check to Board Conference Stewards, Alabama Conference, (211-1492) .....	\$ 77.00	
Check to Board Conference Stewards, Blue Ridge-Atlantic Conference (144-1492) .....	53.00	
Check to Board Conference Stewards, Central Tennessee Conference (91-1492).....	33.00	
Check to Board Conference Stewards, Georgia Conference (89-1492) .....	32.00	
Check to Board Conference Stewards, Holston Conference (739-1492) .....	269.00	
Check to Board Conference Stewards, St. Johns River Conference (218-1492) .....	79.00	
		\$543.00
Balance Earnings in Hands of Treasurer		\$ 1.54

#### Refund Payment Account Advances Made on Past Due Taxes on W. A. Holland Property:

June 15, 1937 .....	\$ 4.59
July 26, 1937 .....	7.50
Aug. 19, 1937 .....	7.50
Sept. 17, 1937 .....	3.67
Total paid on tax advance .....	\$23.26

**Past Due Interest Not Paid:**

Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 1-10-37 .....	\$ 15.00
Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 7-10-35.....	15.00
Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 1-10-36.....	15.00
Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 7-10-36.....	15.00
Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 1-10-37.....	15.00
Mrs. W. A. Holland interest due 7-10-37.....	15.00
Balance tax advance W. A. Holland .....	21.36
J. R. Ellis interest due 4-3-36 .....	15.00
J. R. Ellis interest due 10-3-36 .....	13.75
J. R. Ellis interest due 4-3-37 .....	13.75
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$153.86</b>

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**415 Tucker Street Property**

**Rental Account**

Twelve months from October 1, 1936 to October 1, 1937:

Gross Rents Collected .....	\$243.75	
Less repairs, insurance and commission for collecting.....	71.90	
<b>Net balance of rents .....</b>	<b>\$171.85</b>	
Less taxes paid:		
Oct. 29, 1936—1936 State and County tax.....	\$20.46	
Oct. 29, 1936—1936 City tax .....	23.52	43.98
<b>Balance rents on hand as of Oct. 1, 1937.....</b>	<b>\$127.87</b>	

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**2910 Third Avenue—2-11 Int.**

**Rental Account**

Twelve months from October 1, 1936 to October 1, 1937:

2-11 of Gross Rents collected .....	\$ 25.27
Less 2-11 repairs, commissions and 1936 taxes .....	11.24
<b>Net balance as of Oct. 1, 1937 .....</b>	<b>\$ 14.03</b>

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**METHODIST ADVOCATE JOURNAL**

**October 1, 1937**

**STATEMENT OF ASSETS**

**First Mortgage Real Estate Notes:**

<b>Mortgagor</b>	<b>Principal</b>
L. E. Limbert (formerly Bruce Guthrie).....	\$ 800.00
Chas. W. Barnett .....	500.00
W. B. Million (formerly T. D. Colquitt).....	600.00



Maude S. Moore .....	500.00
B. L. Shrader (formerly Bert Wells) .....	550.00
J. E. Baker .....	600.00
Estate W. A. Holland .....	500.00
J. R. Ellis .....	500.00
J. K. Randall .....	500.00
Clarence Mooneyham .....	1000.00
J. Livingston White .....	1180.00
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Total first mortgage real estate notes.....	\$ 7,230.00
Cost of Tucker Street property as shown on previous statement .....	2,158.22
Cost of 2-11 interest of property 2910 Third Avenue as shown on previous state- ment .....	305.02
Uninvested cash principal on hand Oct. 1, 1937 .....	810.00
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	\$10,503.24

The above \$7,230.00 of notes are secured by first mortgage deeds of trust upon improved real estate in Chattanooga; all bear from 5% to 6% interest per annum, payable semi-annually, and are fully protected by Title Guaranties and by fire insurance upon the improvements.

The Lela Dudley first mortgage was foreclosed by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation in the year 1935 thereby causing the second mortgage of \$268.86 to be forfeited on account of the first. It was not to the interest of the Advocate Journal to bid in this property and assume over \$2000.00 of first mortgage in order to protect the small second. This by error was omitted from last year's statement so the assets are reduced the amount of the second mortgage.

The first mortgage of Bessie M. K. Evans, 112 W. 45th Street for \$750.00 for three years at 5% interest will be sold to the Methodist Advocate Journal on October 7, 1937. This will be listed on next year's statement.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN FERGER,  
Treasurer.

### BONDING COMPANIES

Officers and persons holding monies, funds, etc. are bonded by the following companies:

W. M. Dye, Fidelity and Guaranty Co., Baltimore, Md.

G. F. Lockmiller, Aetne Insurance Co., Chicago, Ill.

W. F. Pitts, Standard Accident Insurance Co., Detroit, Mich.

Herman Ferger, Indemnity Insurance Co., of North America, Philadelphia, Pa.

## RESERVE PENSION FUND

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We the Commission on the Reserve Pension Fund make the following recommendations to the Holston Annual Conference:

1. That the canvass for pledges for the Reserve Pension Fund be continued in the Knoxville District and in charges in other Districts where the campaign has not been completed.

2. That Bishop Brown and his Cabinet reappoint Dr. Wm. M. Dye to his present position for another year, with the same salary.

3. That Dr. Dye have the privilege of choosing an assistant, whose salary shall be not more than \$1200.00 plus \$100.00 per year for house rent, whose traveling expenses shall be paid at five cents per mile for use of car.

4. That \$400.00 be given to the Conference Claimants Fund this year, which comes from the \$608.08 received last year from interest on investments of the Reserve Pension Fund.

J. E. MILBURN,

Chairman of the Commission.

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## TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE RESERVE PENSION FUND

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September 30, 1936 to September 30, 1937

### RECEIPTS

Cash in The Citizens National Bank, Athens, Tennessee .....	\$ 2,885.06	
Cash Collected from General Pledges .....	13,385.87	
Cash Collected from Ministers' percent.....	499.23	
Cash Collected from Rents .....	1,259.37	
Cash Collected from Tax Refunds.....	117.45	
Cash Collected from Interests, Board of Pen- sions and Relief .....	256.08	
Cash Collected from Interest First M. E. Church, Etowah, Tenn.....	350.00	
Rent allowed, Alden D. Eddy .....	100.00	
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		\$18,853.06

### DISBURSEMENTS

#### Campaign Expenses:

Alden D. Eddy, Salary .....	\$ 1,000.00
Alden D. Eddy, Traveling Expenses .....	918.50
Alden D. Eddy, Rent allowed .....	100.00
William M. Dye, Traveling Expenses.....	96.21

William M. Dye, Office, Stationery, Stamps, Other Supplies, Printing, Etc.	302.87	
Other Solicitors, 1936, whose expenses were not rendered .....	505.61	
		\$ 2,923.19

**Annuity Interest Paid:**

Mrs. F. B. Sharp .....	\$ 840.00	
Mrs. W. V. Elliott .....	70.00	
Mrs. Reta Bryan .....	148.00	
Mrs. Elizabeth S. Marshall .....	100.00	
Mrs. Kittie Lamons .....	10.00	
Mr. and Mrs. William M. Dye .....	1,620.00	
		\$ 2,788.00

**Miscellaneous Expenses:**

Repairs .....	\$ 1,331.26	
Taxes .....	292.21	
Insurance .....	221.27	
Medical and Funeral Expenses of John M. Williamson .....	315.62	
		\$ 2,160.36

Assets Exceeding Liabilities .....	10,981.51
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Grand Total .....	\$18,853.06
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**N. B.—Losses:**

One Will .....	\$ 1,000.00	
Miscellaneous pledges, inability to pay, death or repudiated .....	459.62	
		\$ 1,459.62

N. B.—No salary was paid William M. Dye, Treasurer.

**TOTAL HOLDINGS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1937**

Cash in the Citizens National Bank, Athens, Tenn. ....	\$ 2,885.06
Board of Pensions and Relief, Chicago, by Conf. orders .....	11,382.36
General pledges unpaid .....	\$63,404.77
Estate Notes .....	8,265.00
Annuities: (Including Real Estate and Cash) as follows: .....	\$56,085.00

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Dye..	\$13,000.00
Mrs. W. V. Elliott.....	1,000.00
Mrs. Reta Bryan .....	2,000.00
Mrs. Ella F. Dyer .....	1,656.00
Mrs. Matilda Talley .....	2,000.00
Mrs. Elizabeth S. Marshall.....	3,350.00
	\$23,006.00

Balance .....	33,079.00
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**Real Estate:**

7 Lots, Etowah, Tenn., Donated, Value..	\$ 500.00
1 House, Etowah, Tenn., value.....	800.00
5 Houses, Etowah, Tenn., Donated, value	13,000.00
1 House and 1 acre, Piney Flats, Tenn., Donated, valued .....	1,000.00

1 House, 2 lots, 118 Park Ave., Knoxville, Donated, Valued .....	800.00	
1 House, lot, 1517 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga, Donated, Valued .....	2,500.00	
1 House, 2 lots, 612 Tenn. Ave., Salem, Va., Donated, Valued .....	4,500.00	
64 Acre Farm, Ga., Donated, Valued.....	300.00	
44 Acre Farm, Greene Co., Donated, Valued .....	3,000.00	
5 Lots, Painsville, Ohio, cost \$1,000.00, Valued .....	4,000.00	
14 Lots, Lakeside, Ohio, cost \$2,830.00, Valued .....	5,000.00	
1 House, 2 Lots, 2917 Hillside Avenue. Knoxville, cost \$1,508.32, Valued.....	1,300.00	
4 Houses, and Lots 510, 514, 516, 520 W. 5th St., Chattanooga, cost \$1,656, Valued .....	9,300.00	
Total Cost .....	\$6,994.32—Valued at.....	46,000.00

**Mortgages:**

Rev. J. M. Hampton, 609 Pa. Ave., Etowah, Tenn., Balance due .....	\$ 658.00	
Frank Payne, 334 Ga. Ave., Etowah, Tenn., Balance due .....	660.00	
Jacob J. Fry, 112 Washington Ave., Etowah, Tenn., Balance due .....	2,380.00	
Paul Gill, Soddy Tenn., Balance due.....	1,180.00	
B. E. Wells, 310 N. Irish St., Greeneville, Tenn., Balance due .....	2,475.00	
First Methodist Episcopal Church, Etowah, Tenn., Balance due .....	3,683.50	
First Methodist Episcopal Church, Etowah, Tenn., Interest .....	240.00	
		11,276.50
Wills .....		17,500.00

Grand Total .....\$193,719.69

**LIABILITIES:**

Annuities .....	\$ 56,085.00
Assets Exceeding Liabilities .....	137,634.69
Grand Total .....	\$193,719.69

**N. B.—Total Charged Off:**

One Will .....	\$1,000.00
Miscellaneous pledges, death, inability to pay and repudiation .....	459.62
Total .....	\$1,459.62

N. B.—No salary was paid Willim M. Dye.

WILLIAM M. DYE,  
Treasurer.



**THIS STATEMENT COVERS AMOUNT DUE—OCTOBER 1, 1937  
INCLUDING INTEREST.**

N. B.—Some names may have been overlooked. If any errors in credits are found please notify me.—William M. Dye, Treasurer.

Athearn, C. R., Balance .....	\$ 29.15
Atkinson, G. W., Balance .....	31.80
Barber, W. F. ....	37.24
Ball, J. M., Balance .....	84.63
Barker, Horace .....	31.80
Bellamy, C. V. ....	31.80
Blanchard, G. E. ....	123.91
Branson, F. T. ....	31.80
Boyer, E. L., Balance .....	18.46
Bull, W. M., Balance .....	56.81
Byrd, G. T., Balance .....	77.34
Cardwell, N. H. ....	197.07
Carey, F. H., Balance .....	83.35
Cavaleri, E. E., Sr., Balance .....	75.00
Chaney, J. L., Balance .....	50.59
Clayton, C. C. ....	31.80
Cline, R. E. ....	31.80
Coleman, H. C. ....	152.28
Conner, N. A., Balance .....	30.09
Creswell, G. J., Balance .....	83.21
Cupp, J. L. ....	67.45
Curtis, W. R., Balance .....	70.66
Daniels, W. C., Balance .....	62.18
Deck, J. S. ....	31.80
Davis, O. L., Balance .....	29.15
Denton, D. P. ....	31.80
Dobbs, Cicero, Balance .....	61.85
Donaldson, D. W., Balance .....	15.10
Dye, C. W. ....	31.80
Eblen, S. N. ....	79.29
Elzey, R. C., Balance .....	26.99
Ghormley, R. R., Balance .....	29.89
Gilbert, J. F., Balance.....	8.19
Gillespie, E. G., Balance .....	34.58
Goss, M. F. ....	75.96
Graves, W. H., Balance .....	97.29
Grier, W. M. ....	99.82
Hampton, J. M., Balance .....	36.80
Harris, Harold .....	31.80
Holliday, Charles, Balance .....	5.88
Hopper, S. A., Balance .....	56.01
Howell, D. L., Balance .....	40.05
Hamilton, F. A., Balance .....	15.80
Kelley R. W. ....	31.80
Keebler, B. G. ....	31.80
Kilburn, R. A., Balance .....	40.64
Kilgore, L. E., Balance .....	8.08
King, J. A., Balance .....	193.26
Lawson, O. A., Balance .....	39.37
Lewis, W. H., Balance .....	95.94

Ledford, W. F. ....	31.80
Lippse, Glenn .....	64.39
Lucas, C. F., Balance .....	87.61
Lynch, J. F., Balance .....	63.18
Mackintosh, T. H. ....	31.80
Mehaffey, C. D. ....	8.00
Martin, E. B., Balance .....	272.50
Martin, W. C., Balance .....	185.39
Mason, F. C. ....	36.88
Millard, R. M. ....	153.21
Morgan, W. B. ....	31.80
McNeese, Solon .....	131.52
Murphy, A. J. ....	31.80
Ogle, E. H., Balance .....	138.61
Pelleaux, E. W. ....	15.40
Paustian, E. C. ....	31.80
Pickering, W. L., Balance .....	143.58
Pickering, C. E. ....	31.80
Pitts, W. F., Balance .....	114.43
Paulhamus, W. R., Balance (Assumed by 1st Ch. Knoxville) ..	465.36
Ragan, W. H., Balance .....	207.51
Rambo, M. H., Balance .....	53.87
Robeson, W. E. O., Balance .....	94.24
Russell, W. L., Balance .....	44.49
Sharp, R. C. ....	31.80
Rule, P. C. ....	31.80
Shupe, G. L. ....	50.90
Smith, G. C., Balance .....	52.21
Slutz, J. H. ....	31.80
Tarwater, C. B., Balance .....	190.90
Taylor, C. H. ....	99.07
Teitze, Godfrey, Balance .....	15.00
Thames, W. H., Balance .....	99.34
Thompson, A. W. ....	31.80
Trentham, E. C., Balance .....	84.29
Trotter, F. E. ....	31.80
Turner, C. M. ....	31.80
Wagner, Enos .....	91.98
Wampler, R. T. ....	31.80
Watkins, J. M. ....	31.80
Watson, F. D., Balance .....	126.57
Wilson, J. B. ....	31.80
White, O. B. ....	31.80
Total .....	\$6,386.09

WILLIAM M. DYE,  
Treasurer.

# REPORT OF TREASURER OF PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY

## INTEREST RECEIPTS

1936 - 1937

### 1936:

Dec. 7—W. E. Moses .....	\$ 34.50
Dec. 7—J. H. Jones .....	100.00

### 1937:

Jan. 1—Holston Assembly Association .....	60.00
Jan. 2—M. L. Sivils .....	9.00
March 8—Mrs. Esta Vestal .....	75.00
April 7—Rev. B. M. Larson .....	78.00
May 3—George Burns .....	18.00
May 3—A. F. Ray .....	21.00
May 12—J. H. Jones .....	200.00
May 20—Mrs. Annie Roberts .....	67.50
June 8—W. E. Moses .....	33.00
June 14—C. F. Walker .....	150.00
June 14—M. L. Sivils .....	9.00
June 18—Mrs. Iota McMahan .....	75.00
June 24—Mrs. Annie Roberts .....	69.85
June 30—Mrs. E. L. Woolsey .....	45.67
July 7—Holston Assembly Association .....	60.00
Sept. 7—Mrs. Esta Vestal .....	75.00
Sept. 10—Geo. Burns .....	18.00
Oct. 4—Rev. B. M. Larson .....	78.00
Oct. 15—C. F. Walker .....	75.00
Oct. 15—J. A. Paris .....	132.00
Oct. 15—J. A. Paris .....	114.00
Oct. 15—D. H. Shell .....	108.00
Oct. 15—Wood & Wood .....	420.00
Oct. 15—M. H. Rambo .....	85.20
Oct. 15—Mrs. E. R. Woolsey .....	45.00
Oct. 15—J. H. Jones .....	100.00
Total .....	\$2,355.78
Oct. 15—Brought from the Expense Account .....	437.39
	<u>\$2,793.17</u>

## DISBURSEMENTS

Check to Wm. F. Pitts, Treasurer Holston Conference  
M. E. Church:

Lucy Waters Memorial Fund .....	\$ 33.00
Check for Interest on Loans and Rents .....	2,760.17
	<u>\$2,793.17</u>

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT

1936 - 1937

1936-37:

Rents Received .....\$425.75

1936:

Oct. 30—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 90.00  
Oct. 30—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 36.13  
Nov. 6—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 27.50  
Nov. 16—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 7.00  
Nov. 16—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 2.00  
Dec. 7—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 3.00  
Dec. 21—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 8.00

1937:

Jan. 7—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 6.00  
Jan. 7—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 8.00  
Jan. 16—W. B. Townsend Estate ..... 250.00  
Feb. 3—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 3.00  
July 26—Dues Sent in by R. L. Stapleton..... 18.00  

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\$884.38

## DISBURSEMENTS

1936 - 1937

1936:

Nov. 12—Check to Rev. O. R. Tarwater (Minutes Holston Conference) .....\$ 15.00  
Dec. 29—F. R. Dodson (Insurance) ..... 4.80

1937:

Jan. 7—Rev. R. L. Stapleton (Expense) ..... 10.00  
Jan. 7—Roofing, \$45.28; Freight, \$6.43 (for roofing houses).... 51.71  
Jan. 8—Athens Insurance Agency (Insurance Houses) ..... 16.20  
Jan. 11—F. R. Dodson (Insurance Houses) ..... 53.00  
Jan. 11—F. R. Dodson (Bond, Treas.) ..... 125.00  
Jan. 11—Athens Hdw. Co. (Screens and Hinges, Etc.)..... 7.78  
Jan. 11—T. L. Duggan (Labor, repair buildings) ..... 5.00  
Jan. 11—F. R. Dodson (Insurance) ..... 132.50  
June 18—R. L. Stapleton (Expense Abstract Title—McMahan) 1.25  
June 18—R. L. Stapleton (Expense)..... 10.00  
July 26—R. L. Stapleton (Expense)..... 5.00  
Sept. 15—John McGuaghey (Gutters and repairs and material) 5.75  
Oct. 15—Thurman Browder (Repair grates) ..... 4.00

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\$446.99

Forwarded to Interest Account ..... 437.39

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\$884.38



PERMANENT FUND—ACTIVE

1936 - 1937

To Balance on Hand.....	\$11,560.00
Dec. 7, 1936—W. E. Moses paid on loan .....	50.00
May 3, 1937—A. F. Ray paid on loan .....	700.00
June 8, 1937—W. E. Moses paid on loan .....	50.00
Oct. 11, 1937—Sivils paid on loan .....	50.00
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	\$12,410.00

Disbursements

Jan. 1, 1937—Loan to Holston Assembly Grounds.....	\$ 2,000.00
Feb. 1, 1937—Loan to Wood & Wood .....	7,000.00
June 18, 1937—Loan to Mrs. Iota McMahan .....	2,500.00
Oct. 15, 1937—To Balance on Hand .....	910.00
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	\$12,410.00

TOTAL LOANS AND PERMANENT FUND

1936 - 1937

J. H. Jones .....	\$ 4,000.00
J. A. Paris .....	1,900.00
D. H. Shell .....	1,800.00
B. M. Larson .....	2,600.00
J. A. Paris .....	2,200.00
C. F. Walker .....	2,500.00
M. H. Rambo .....	1,400.00
Mrs. E. L. Woolsey .....	1,500.00
Mrs. Annie Roberts .....	2,250.00
Geo. Burns .....	600.00
Walter E. Moses .....	1,100.00
Mrs. Esta Vestal .....	2,500.00
Laymon Property .....	4,500.00
Sivils .....	250.00
Mrs. Iota McMahan .....	2,500.00
Methodist Assembly .....	2,000.00
Wood & Wood .....	7,000.00
To Balance 1935-1936 .....	4,505.12
To Balance 1936-1937 .....	910.00
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Total .....	\$46,015.12

To Balance Interest Past Due:

J. H. Jones .....	\$ 201.33
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## Laymen's Association, Holston Conference

### REPORT ON PLEDGES, 1936-1937

#### BRISTOL DISTRICT

	Pledged	Paid	Balance
Villa Heights .....	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$.....
First M. E. Bristol .....	30.00	30.00	.....
L. R. Hite .....	5.00	5.00	.....
First Church—E. E. Kincaid .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Chance's Chapel .....	1.00	1.00	.....
	<u>\$ 46.00</u>	<u>\$ 46.00</u>	<u>\$.....</u>

#### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

	Pledged	Paid	Balance
Copperhill .....	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	\$.....
N. Athens .....	5.00	2.50	2.50
Manker Memorial .....	5.00	5.00	.....
J. L. Robb .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Athens M. E. Church .....	15.00	15.00	.....
Mrs. J. A. Patten .....	50.00	50.00	.....
Highland Park M. E. Church .....	25.00	25.00	.....
F. H. Trotter .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Big Springs Circuit .....	6.00		6.00
St. Marks .....	10.00	10.00	.....
	<u>\$141.00</u>	<u>\$132.50</u>	<u>\$ 8.50</u>

#### HARRIMAN DISTRICT

	Pledged	Paid	Balance
Beaver Ridge .....	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$.....
Ironsburg Parish .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Heiskell .....	10.00	10.00	.....
Oliver Springs .....	10.00		10.00
Jellico M. E. Church .....	10.00	10.00	.....
Rockwood M. E. Church .....	10.00		10.00
W. E. Baker .....	2.00	2.00	.....
W. F. Elzey .....	2.00		2.00
Sunbright Charge .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Lenoir City M. E. ....	5.00	5.00	.....
	<u>\$ 64.00</u>	<u>\$ 42.00</u>	<u>\$ 22.00</u>

#### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

	Pledged	Paid	Balance
Limestone Circuit .....	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$.....
Kingsport Church .....	25.00	25.00	.....
S. G. Gillenwater .....	2.00	2.00	.....
O. C. Morrison .....	5.00		5.00

F. L. Bewley .....	5.00	5.00	.....
First Church Johnson City .....	25.00	25.00	.....
R. H. Burkhart .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Morristown Circuit .....	25.00	25.00	.....
Fall Branch .....	10.00	10.00	.....
Sulphur Springs .....	10.00	.....	10.00
Morristown—First Church .....	15.00	15.00	.....
	<u>\$132.00</u>	<u>\$117.00</u>	<u>\$ 15.00</u>

### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

	Pledged	Paid	Balance
Rev. L. B. Clark .....	\$ 5.00	\$.....	\$ 5.00
R. R. Kramer, Maryville .....	25.00	25.00	.....
R. R. Kramer, Personal .....	15.00	15.00	.....
First Church Knoxville .....	25.00	25.00	.....
W. P. Ammans .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Oakwood M. E. ....	5.00	5.00	.....
Dandridge M. E. ....	10.00	10.00	.....
Lonsdale M. E. Church .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Sevierville M. E. ....	10.00	10.00	.....
M. S. Roberts .....	15.00	15.00	.....
E. Main Avenue .....	5.00	5.00	.....
W. I. Marshall .....	5.00	5.00	.....
Houk Mason (Chestnut Hill) .....	5.00	5.00	.....
	<u>\$135.00</u>	<u>\$130.00</u>	<u>\$ 5.00</u>

### DESIGNATED GIFTS FOR TENNESSEE WESLEYAN COLLEGE 1937

#### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

Athens .....	\$ 87.45
First Church Chattanooga .....	25.00
South Pittsburg .....	2.00
	<u>\$114.45</u>

#### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

Greeneville .....	\$ 80.00
Kingsport .....	10.00
	<u>\$ 90.00</u>

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

### HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE

1936—1937

(Information taken from C. E. Roger's Report of Oct. 15, 1937.)  
Conference Education Fund

#### BRISTOL DISTRICT

Charge	Apportionment	Paid
Bristol First Church .....	\$ 75.00	\$ 6.00
Bristol Circuit .....	6.00	
Christiansburg .....	40.00	
Clinch Valley .....	10.00	
Floyd .....	30.00	5.00
Fries .....	15.00	
Greendale & Glenford .....	20.00	3.00
Hilton .....	10.00	
Marion .....	30.00	
Nickelsville .....	10.00	
Pattonsville and Gate City .....	35.00	
Radford .....	40.00	
Riner .....	20.00	
Roanoke, First Church .....	50.00	
Roanoke, Villa Heights .....	20.00	
Rose Hill and Jonesville .....	50.00	
Russell .....	10.00	
St. Charles .....	40.00	
Salem .....	30.00	
Wytheville .....	20.00	
	\$561.00	\$14.00

#### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

Charge	Apportionment	Paid
Athens .....	\$ 110.00	\$110.00
Athens Parish .....	30.00	20.00
Big Springs Parish .....	24.00	
Cleveland .....	110.00	100.00
Cleveland Par. No. 1 .....	30.00	
Cleveland Par. No. 2 .....	20.00	

#### CHATTANOOGA:

Alton Park .....	24.00	24.00
Avondale .....	50.00	20.00
East Ridge .....	30.00	
First Church .....	200.00	31.06
Highland Park .....	110.00	110.00
Manker Memorial .....	50.00	9.00
Red Bank .....	80.00	
Ridgedale .....	50.00	
St. James .....	65.00	
St. Marks .....	110.00	110.00
Coalmont Parish .....	10.00	
Copperhill .....	110.00	110.00



Daisy Parish .....	20.00	
Englewood and Tellico .....	30.00	
Etowah .....	70.00	20.00
Fairmount and Fairview .....	10.00	Not listed
Jasper Parish .....	15.00	
North Athens and Niota .....	20.00	
Soddy .....	20.00	
South Pittsburg .....	20.00	
	\$1,418.00	\$664.00

### HARRIMAN DISTRICT

Charge	Apportionment	Paid
Heiskell .....	\$ 20.00	
Beaver Ridge and Solway .....	42.00	
Maynardville .....	14.00	
Clinton .....	64.00	
Crossville .....	28.00	
Dayton .....	42.00	
Decatur and Erie Ct. ....	28.00	
Graysville .....	18.00	
Harriman .....	48.00	
Ironsborg Parish .....	24.00	
Jacksboro and Newcomb .....	16.00	
Jellico .....	48.00	\$ 50.00
Kingston .....	38.00	15.00
Larollette .....	36.00	1.00
Lenoir City .....	40.00	25.00
Loudon .....	36.00	3.00
New Tazewell .....	28.00	10.00
Oakdale .....	48.00	5.00
Oliver Springs .....	20.00	
Oneida .....	28.00	
Patten Com. Center .....	32.00	
Bockwood .....	48.00	
Sunbright and Burrville .....	24.00	
Vine Grove .....	24.00	
Well Springs .....	24.00	
	\$818.00	\$109.00

### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

Charge	Apportionment	Paid
Baileytown .....	\$ 45.00	
Chuckey .....	50.00	\$ 30.00
Elizabethton .....	75.00	10.00
Elizabethton Ct. ....	24.00	5.00
Fall Branch .....	43.00	
Greeneville .....	110.00	67.00
Greeneville Ct. ....	50.00	6.26
Johnson City .....	130.00	125.00
Johnson City Ct. ....	36.00	
Kingsport .....	100.00	80.00
Kingsport Ct. ....	42.00	
Limestone .....	50.00	12.00
Lynn Garden and Morrisons .....	20.00	

Morristown .....	100.00	100.00
Morristown Ct. ....	52.00	52.00
Mosheim .....	65.00	
Mountain City .....	65.00	
Newport .....	80.00	22.00
Newport Ct. ....	30.00	
Parrottsville .....	81.00	
Pittman Center .....	.....	
Rogersville .....	42.00	
Rutledge .....	33.00	
Sulphur Springs .....	60.00	7.00
Surgoinsville .....	40.00	
Telford .....	62.00	6.00
	<b>\$1,485.00</b>	<b>\$522.26</b>

### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

Charge	Apportionment	Paid
Alcoa .....	\$ 56.00	\$ 15.00
Asbury .....	25.00	
Chestnut Hill .....	48.00	
Dandridge .....	58.00	
Fair Garden .....	28.00	
Friendsville .....	28.00	
Jefferson City .....	25.00	
<b>KNOXVILLE</b>		
Burlington .....	56.00	10.00
East Main Ave. ....	28.00	20.00
First Church .....	150.00	54.46
Inskip .....	25.00	
Lonsdale .....	55.00	2.00
Oakwood .....	55.00	1.00
Park City .....	72.00	20.00
Second Church .....	150.00	40.00
South Knoxville .....	24.00	
Trinity .....	92.00	48.00
Vestal .....	56.00	
Whittle Springs .....	45.00	
Knoxville Ct. ....	44.00	
Little River .....	36.00	
Maryville .....	108.00	75.00
Maryville Ct. ....	40.00	
Meadow .....	18.00	
New Salem .....	32.00	
Pigeon Forge .....	40.00	
Sevierville .....	52.00	
Sevierville Ct. ....	30.00	
Thorn Grove .....	20.00	
Townsend and Tremont .....	25.00	
	<b>\$1,521.00</b>	<b>\$285.00</b>
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Bristol .....	\$ 561.00	
Chattanooga .....	1418.00	
Harriman .....	818.00	
Johnson City .....	1485.00	
Knoxville .....	1521.00	
Total .....		<b>\$5,803.00</b>

# ... Memoirs ...

## THE REV. DR. WILLIAM L. OLIVER

Dr. William L. Oliver, a native of Kentucky, was born June 14, 1872, and died July 7, at the age of sixty-five. He was admitted on trial in the Holston Conference in 1905 and became a full member in 1907. He was ordained deacon in Knoxville in 1907, by Bishop L. B. Wilson and elder in 1914 at Cleveland, Tenn., by Bishop T. S. Henderson. He served the following pastorates: Oliver Springs, Andersonville, Sunbright, Pikeville, Elm Grove and Asbury, Jones Chapel, Sevierville, Greeneville, Morristown, Johnson City District, Cleveland, Park City-Knoxville, Jellico. He retired in 1935. He is survived by a son and a daughter, two sisters and a brother. In the death of Dr. Oliver the Holston Conference has lost one of the best ministers it has produced. He was a true shepherd over the flocks. Funeral services were held in Park City Church, conducted by the Revs. Solon McNeese and W. H. Ragan, district superintendent. Interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville.

## MRS. J. J. ROBINETTE

By J. M. Melear

Annie Cook was born July 22, 1860. She graduated from what is now known as Tennessee Wesleyan College. She became the wife of the Rev. J. J. Robinette October 23, 1883.

Her life was spent in a Methodist parsonage where she blessed her home, worked for and inspired the churches her husband served. She was the mother of three children. James and John died in infancy. Miss Faith, a teacher in the city schools of Knoxville, Tennessee, survives.

Mrs. Robinette had an abiding religious experience. High endeavor, worthy ideals, calm confidence, love of righteousness, placing the kingdom of God first—such were the characteristics which invigorated her faith and enabled her to attest the glory of her Master. She took this wonderful thing we call life and with the help of God glorified it. She believed in her royal heritage, zealously guarded it, bringing her redeemed womanhood under the control of Him whose cause she loved and whose will she obeyed.

Every difficulty she overcame, every lesson she learned, every doubt she conquered, gave her fresh courage to go forward to larger victories.

She was a great sufferer from bodily afflictions but never complained because she believed that they would work out for her a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory. Her faith has been vindicated.

Enriched by her experience, made strong by God's promises, touched by His spirit, resigned to His will, her life rose to the sublime heights of holy triumph known only to those vaiaint souls, who, while on earth, live in heavenly altitudes.

Her body was laid to rest beside her husband in beautiful Woodlawn cemetery, Knoxville, Tennessee, October 23, 1936.

"Why should our tears in sorrow flow when God recalls his own;  
And bids them leave a world of woe for an immortal crown?  
Is not e'en death a gain to those whose life to God was given?  
Gladly to earth their eyes they close, to open them in heaven."

### MRS. R. C. ROBERTSON

Mrs. Mollie Emert Robertson, widow of the late Rev. R. C. Robertson, was born October 5, 1855, and departed this life February 26, 1937, being in her eighty-second year. She was a member of Pigeon Forge M. E. Church from her youth and a member of the Ladies Aid Society from its organization more than twenty years ago, also a loyal supporter of all worthy interests.

She was a true and faithful wife, a loving, sacrificial mother. The burdens of her children were her burdens and she followed them always with her loving interest and prayers. Although a typical home-loving woman, she as a sincere follower of Christ, loving the songs of Zion, the House of God and the reading of the Bible. The latter giving her much comfort and inspiration. Even during her last illness as long as she was able she read her Bible daily and when too weak to read for herself she asked others to read for her. Also she asked the grand-children to play and sing hymns of her choice. Two of the last called for being, "In the Land Where We Never Grow Old," and "Trust and Obey."

She bore the sorrows of life bravely, keeping a steadfast faith, even when left a widow many years ago, and when saying goodbye to her youngest and oldest sons and a much loved grand-daughter who preceded her in death.

While keeping a beautiful faith in the Heavenly Father throughout her long, useful life, she had been lonely in her later years. It was not the will of her Master that this loneliness should continue but that she should depart and be with Christ and her loved ones gone before. He did not permit her to linger long in pain and helplessness and become a care to those she loved. But peacefully she went to sleep while her pastor, Bro. Robison, held her hand and repeated words of comfort and promise from the Bible she loved. Her children and grandchildren will miss her tender love, her friends and neighbors will miss her, the Ladies Aid will miss her; yet we know she is waiting for us on the other shore.

Therefore be it resolved:

1st. That in the going of "Aunt Mollie" we realize we have lost a sincere member.

2nd. That we extend to the family our sympathy, knowing that "He doeth all things well."

3rd. That this be placed on record in the Secretary's book and a copy furnished the family.

MRS. D. D. BUTLER,  
MRS. J. T. EMORY,  
MRS. W. E. O. ROBINSON,  
Committee.

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### CARRIE A. MILLER BISHOP

Carrie A. Miller Bishop, widow of the late Elwell A. Bishop, was a daughter of John Stone and Belinda Miller, and was born and reared in Plainfield, New Hampshire.

She was married to Dr. Bishop in 1911 and came with him to the Southland when he was elected president of Murphy Collegeiate Institute and made her home in Sevierville for the remainder of her life.

Mrs. Bishop soon became recognized as an educational, social, and religious leader in the community. She nobly supported her husband



in the work of the school and saw the institution grow from the small one room building down town to the splendid group of four buildings and the fine 63 acre farm and campus on Round Top.

She was instrumental in the organization of the Manthano Club in the town and was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, two of her ancestors having been among the little company who fought for our American liberty.

Her pastor found in her a loyal supporter and a faithful counsellor. She taught in the church school and was faithful in her attendance at all services of the church.

She was in frail health during the last year and was tenderly cared for by the children of Dr. Bishop by a former marriage. She quietly passed to rest on July 20 at the home of Miss Evelyn Bishop at Norris, Tenn. Funeral services were held at the First M. E. Church of Sevierville, Tennessee, in charge of Rev. Glenn Lippse, W. H. Ragan and H. G. Williamson. Burial was in Montpelier, Vermont.

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### MRS. ELLA COLEMAN NEWCOMB

Was born in Bloomington, Illinois, March 8, 1852, and received her grand coronation in Chattanooga, Tenn., April 2, 1937, giving her more than eighty-five years of happy sojourn here.

She was educated at Galesville, Wisconsin Seminary. Was married to Dr. G. T. Newcomb, September 18, 1878, to which union were born three children—Prof. Charles Newcomb, Asheville, N. C., Mrs. W. T. Stivers and Miss Gladys Newcomb, of Chattanooga.

Mrs. Newcomb accepted Christ in infancy, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which she lived a most devoted Christian, having been a member of the Highland Park church for thirty-eight years.

She, with her sainted husband, served pastoral charges in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan. In 1890 they came to Athens, Tennessee, where her husband, Dr. G. T. Newcomb, became professor of Hebrew, Greek, Old Testament History and Biblical Hermeneutics. Later moved to Chattanooga, where he continued his educational work, in what was known as U. S. Grant University, until his departure in 1914 for his Heavenly home, to await the coming of his life-long devoted companion. To know these saints was to love them.

Mrs. Newcomb was a patient sufferer for many years, being almost an invalid most of that time. But, she was never known to complain; always cheerful and sunny. Her radiant smiles always greeted her callers, making it a benediction to be with her. She approached the end, and awaited her coronation with great calm.

"So, she took the one grand step beyond the stars of God,  
Into the splendor, shadowless and broad,  
Into the everlasting joy and light:  
The zenith of the earthly life to come."

WILLIAM M. DYE.

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### MRS. C. W. MILLER

Mary E. Woodson Miller was born June 15, 1861, and died September 29, 1937. She was of an old pioneer family, whose name is perpetuated by Woodson Gap of Cumberland mountain in Campbell

county. She received the principal part of her education at the Church school, Powell's Valley Seminary, but attended for a short while at East Tennessee University. She was married to C. W. Miller on June 8th, 1886, and was his faithful helpmate for seven years in the South American Mission of the M. E. Church, and afterward many years in the Holston Conference. While in the Mission she suffered an awful trial in the death of two children in ten days—a four year old boy, the pride of her life, and a girl of four months. This impaired her general health. She was the mother of seven children.

She has been a great sufferer for the past four years, being partially paralyzed, not able to walk, but she bore this with great patience, exemplifying the faith in Christ which she professed in her early youth. She leaves a husband, five children, many grandchildren, and many friends in many lands to mourn her departure.

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### MRS. JOSEPH M. DEW

Mrs. Etta Jennings Dew was born March 16, 1892, and departed this life August 25, 1937, her age being 45 years, 5 months, and 9 days.

Miss Etta Jennings was married to Joseph M. Dew, November 6, 1912, with whom she lived happily, sharing with him the toils and cares, joys and blessings of this life for nearly a quarter of a century.

To this union were born 8 children, 3 girls and 5 boys. Two of the boys, Joseph and David preceeded her to the land out of sight to the natural eye but clearly visible to the eye of faith, the others are Mrs. L. C. Connors of Clinton, Tennessee, Robert, William, Mary, Martha, and Edward at home with their father, at Lenoir City, Tennessee.

She professed faith in Christ in 1914, and joined the "Lonsdale M. E. Church" on whose services she was a faithful attendant and to whose principals she was loyal.

When Brother Dew felt the urge to preach he saw that he must go to school and to do this it was necessary to give up his business and sell their home. The spirit of sacrifice which enabled him to do this, enabled her to co-operate with him in his plans so she lived with him for 3 years in a cottage on the Campus at Athens, Tennessee, while he "studied to show himself an approved workman".

Sister Dew loved her husband, her children, her home and her church, and when her husband was away in revivals, She uncomplainingly went forward with the work of the home, and as far as possible looked after the interest of the church. Her reading was of the "Bible" and the Literature approved by the church with other books and publications of a high order.

She was held in high esteem by those whom they served during the years that she was the wife of a methodist preacher. The last days were days of suffering but she was patient and uncomplaining and when the end came she was ready having talked to her husband and children about temporal affairs, and about the home beyond the river, she quietly fell asleep, passing from the "Church militant into the Church triumphant in glory".

The funeral was conducted in the "First M. E. church" of Lenoir

City, Tennessee, of which Brother Dew is pastor. Those officiating were: H. M. Hawk, W. D. Wilkinson, J. W. Cardwell, and John Babb.

The interment was at "Bell's Camp-ground", in Knox County, Tennessee.

Respectfully Submitted,

H. M. HAWK.

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### DR. E. A. LONG

Dr. E. A. Long was born in Athens, Tennessee, November 24, 1861, and died October 27, 1936. He was the son of Rev. William Long and Sarah Atlee Long, the former an esteemed member of the Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for a long period of years.

Dr. Long was graduated from Grant University, at Athens, and later from the University of Louisville, where he received his M. D. degree. He came to Johnson City in 1891 and immediately entered upon the practice of his profession. He was twice married; first, to Nora Range, to which union were born two children, Mary Vincent and Edwin Atlee; and second, to Jane Pierson Hardy to which union were born two children, Carroll Hardy and Frances Elizabeth, all of whom survive.

Dr. Long was conspicuous throughout his long and useful life for his loyalty and devotion to the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Johnson City. He became a member when a small congregation occupied an inconspicuous frame building on Main Street; he was chiefly instrumental in causing a larger and more commodious building to be erected at the corner of Main and Roan streets; and he took a prominent part in promoting the erection of the modern beautiful plant on Maple street now in use by the church.

Dr. Long was a man of deep religious convictions. His interest in all of the activities of the church never wavered. As official member and as trustee for so many years his fine judgment and foresight were invaluable. As the years crept upon him there seemed to be an increase in depth of religious conviction and faith, as if in preparation for that other life; and yet there was no lessening in his generous contributions to the church; he often inspired others by saying that he expected to give to the church during the present year according to its needs and his ability, and the same next year, and the next, so long as he was permitted to live.

A short time before his death Dr. Long was elected as a lay delegate for the term of four years to represent his church in the Holston Annual Lay Conference, but death intervened and he was not permitted to serve.

The local church at Johnson City will miss this true and faithful member. He has passed on and entered into the enjoyment of that eternal reward assured to the faithful: "Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things."

S. E. MILLER

### HENRY CAMPBELL BUTLER

Henry Campbell Butler, lay member of Holston Conference from the Sevierville Circuit, Knoxville District, died at his home at the Meadow Craig Farm, six miles Southeast of Sevierville on May 20, 1937.

He was a member of the Murphy's Chapel Methodist Episcopal Church, was a member of the Board of Trustees of Murphy College, was active as a civic leader in his community and gave largely to the churches and school of the denomination.

Surviving are his wife; one brother, Ashley W. Butler, of Pigeon Forge, and one sister, Mrs. Belle Stuart, of White Pine.

Funeral services were held on May 22, 1937 at Murphy's Chapel, Rev. W. L. Roberts, pastor, officiating. Interment was in the Red Bank Cemetery.



## RESOLUTIONS

We want to express our appreciation of the fine way in which we have been entertained during the session of the Conference, for the Conference program and for the leadership and work of our Conference Officers.

Therefore be it resolved that we express our appreciation:

To Bishop Wallace E. Brown, for his very brotherly and efficient administration of the affairs of the Conference and for his messages of inspiration and devotion.

To Mrs. Wallace E. Brown for her presence, her help and inspiration.

To our District Superintendents who have given so much time and thought to the work of our church in the Holston Conference.

To the Pastors, Rev. G. J. Creswell and Mrs. Creswell, Rev. John A. King and Mrs. King, to Miss Ruth Bennecker and her office help; and to the membership of Second Church for the fine way they have provided all things necessary for the good of our Conference.

To our secretary, O. R. Tarwater and his assistants for their faithful work in recording the acts of the Conference.

To the statistician and treasurer and their assistants for the hours of hard work given in the tabulation of the statistical and financial reports.

To Solon McNeese and all members of the entertainment committee for the way they have, through the cooperation of the pastors and membership of the Knoxville Churches, housed and fed the Conference delegates.

To Dr. Raymond Huse for his presence which has blessed us and his messages which have stirred us. He will long be remembered among us for his spirit and devotion.

To the Methodist Book Concern for the fine display of books placed at our disposal and for the presence of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Fritsche; for Dr. George C. Douglas whose presence always inspires us.

To Dr. W. J. Davidson of the Board of Education, to Dr. M. A. Dawber of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; to Dr. J. Holmes Smith of the Board of Foreign Missions, to Dr. Alexander Guerry President of the University of Chattanooga, to Dr. James L. Robb President of Tennessee Wesleyan College, to the President of the Layman's Association, Mr. F. H. Trotter and his collaborators, to Rev. J. Homer Slutz, Rev. K. W. Robbins, and Rev. W. L. Hart, to the Young People of Holston Conference, to the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Conference, to the President of Morristown Normal and Industrial College and his Quartette, and to all others who by their addresses and work contributed to the richness of the Conference Program.

To the membership of all Boards and Committees whose recommendations will be printed in the Official Journal for our guidance.

We express gratitude to our Heavenly Father for these days; for our fellowship; for our church; for those whose shepherd we are to be, and for the Grace of God which can make us good ministers of Jesus Christ.

WALTER A. SMITH, Chairman.

# OUR SAINTED DEAD

"These all died in the faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them, and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth."  
—Heb. 11:13.

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
John Tunnell	.....1755	1777—Virginia.....	July, 1790.....	Dew's Chapel, West Virginia
Moses Black	.....1769	1796—S. Car'lina.....	Feb. 3, 1809.....	Abingdon, Virginia
Geo. Atkin	.....	1817—Ohio.....	.....1827	
J. G. H. Spear	.....	1821—Tennessee.....	.....1833	
Harvey B. Cumming	.....	1829—Holston.....	.....1835	
John Henninger	Dec. 19, 1784.....	1807—Western.....	Dec. 23, 1838.....	Cleveland, Tennessee
Arnold Patton	Oct. 10, 1809.....	1829—Holston.....	April 5, 1839.....	Lebanon, Russell County, Virginia
John Craig	.....	1807—Western.....	.....1840	
Mitchell Martin	.....	1837—Holston.....	.....1840	Charleston, Tennessee
W. B. Murphy	June 10, 1807.....	1833—Holston.....	.....1842	Knoxville, Tennessee
Ira Falls	.....	1832—Holston.....	August, 1844.....	Kingston, Tennessee
Willis Ingle	.....1798	1844—Holston.....	Oct. 29, 1867.....	Craig's Mill, Washington Co., Virginia
David Fleming	May 4, 1779.....	1824—Holston.....	Aug. 28, 1868.....	Kingston, Tennessee
James Cumming	Oct. 26, 1787.....	1820—Tennessee.....	June 20, 1870.....	Shilo, Sevier County, Tennessee
W. A. Marshall	April 12, 1819.....	1869—Holston.....	Sept. 29, 1871.....	Clontz Chapel, Clay Co., No. Carolina
W. H. H. Duggan	July 3, 1815.....	1845—Holston.....	Aug. 11, 1872.....	Wilson Station, McMinn Co., Tennessee
Joseph Milburn	Jan. 23, 1800.....	1855—Holston.....	Jan. 18, 1873.....	Milburnton, Greene Co., Tennessee
Isaac Forkner	Dec. 25, 1790.....	1867—Holston.....	April 7, 1873.....	Otis, Hawkins County, Tennessee
John Leach	.....	1826—Pittsburg.....	.....1873	
Robert Clark	.....	1870—Holston.....	Aug. 9, 1873.....	Atlanta, Georgia.
N. E. Cobleigh	Nov. 24, 1814.....	1844—N. England.....	Feb. 1, 1874.....	Red Hill, Bradley County, Tennessee
Elijah Still	Sept. 4, 1805.....	1831—Holston.....	April 12, 1875.....	
Samuel Patterson	.....	1868—Holston.....	Mar. 21, 1875.....	Chatata, Bradley County, Tennessee
M. H. P. Burkett	Jan. 11, 1811.....	1864—Kentucky.....	Nov. 12, 1875.....	
W. P. Fair	.....	1870—Holston.....	Dec. 13, 1876.....	Milburnton, Greene County, Tennessee
William Milburn	Sept. 16, 1797.....	1835—Holston.....	Sept. 22, 1877.....	Pattonsville, Virginia
J. M. Adams	July 22, 1840.....	1866—Virginia.....	July 9, 1878.....	Harrison, Hamilton County, Tennessee
R. H. Guthrie	Mar. 27, 1820.....	1851—Holston.....	May 20, 1881.....	

**OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Born</b>	<b>Admitted Conf.</b>	<b>Died</b>	<b>Where Buried</b>
G. W. Henninger	Feb. 2, 1851	1874—Holston	Apr. 23, 1881	Fanning Chapel, Henderson Co., N. C.
John Forrester	May 7, 1801	1861—Holston	Dec. 3, 1881	Burruville, Tennessee
Spencer Henry	Oct. 24, 1806	1868—Holston	June 3, 1883	Carpenter's C. G., Blount Co., Tennessee
B. F. Wells	July 15, 1813	1838—Holston	May 16, 1884	Leicester, North Carolina
W. B. Ballinger	June 25, 1825	1852—Holston	Oct. 15, 1884	Chilkutt's Chapel, Bradley Co., Tenn.
J. R. Hughes	May 7, 1839	1867—Holston	May 13, 1886	Greeneville, Tennessee
J. P. Milburn	Feb. 5, 1832	1861—Holston	Oct. 20, 1886	Milburnton, Greene County, Tennessee
Daniel Carter	Oct. 6, 1813	1865—Holston	Aug. 30, 1887	Carter's Cemetery, Jefferson Co., Tenn.
J. W. Holden	Oct. 29, 1858	1885—Holston	Sept. 18, 1887	Titusville, Florida
J. F. Morrison	Mar. 19, 1826	1869—Virginia	June 26, 1887	Locust Springs, Greene Co., Tennessee
N. G. Taylor	Dec. 29, 1819	1872—Holston	Apr. 1, 1887	Happy Valley, Carter County, Tenn.
Lemuel Bogart	Apr. 29, 1808	1866—Holston	May 3, 1888	Cummings, Chapel, Sevier Co., Tenn.
W. T. Jones	Feb. 27, 1861	1883—Holston	July 28, 1888	Rockwood, Tennessee
Moses Seaton	June 2, 1829	1857—Holston	Apr. 17, 1889	Cedar Grove, Greene Co., Tennessee
Wm. M. Haskell	June 11, 1818	1844—Mississippi	Feb. 8, 1899	New Salem, Knox County, Tennessee
C. S. Long	Jan. 3, 1850	1875—Holston	Oct. 14, 1890	Athens, Tennessee
W. H. Rogers	Mar. 22, 1813	1832—Holston	Mar. 17, 1891	Cleveland, Tennessee
E. B. Clark	Oct. 10, 1830	1869—Holston	Apr. 3, 1891	Wesleyana, McMinn County, Tennessee
W. D. Smith	Jan. 28, 1832	1867—Georgia	July 4, 1892	Sugar Creek, Bradley Co., Tennessee
G. M. Hicks	May 11, 1833	1862—Holston	July 17, 1893	Chestuee, Monroe County, Tennessee
H. J. Crumley	July 25, 1822	1869—Holston	Apr. 28, 1894	Pippin's Church, Washington Co., Va.
A. B. Wright	Nov. 3, 1826	1867—Holston	Nov. 9, 1893	Burruville, Tennessee
A. N. Penley		1872—Virginia	1893	Dryden, Virginia
J. G. Grace		1874—Virginia	1877	Bethel Virginia
J. P. Morton	Aug. 26, 1855	1889—Holston	Sept. 15, 1894	Clinton, Tennessee
A. G. Watkins	May 5, 1818	1867—Holston	Nov. 9, 1895	Jefferson City, Tennessee
A. J. Greer	Dec. 18, 1832	1856—Holston	Nov. 20, 1895	New Tazewell, Tennessee
S. B. Scott	Nov. 3, 1829	1877—Holston	Jan. 6, 1896	Oliver Springs, Tennessee
W. C. Graves	Aug. 13, 1815	1834—Holston	Jan. 29, 1896	Morristown, Tennessee
E. L. Fillmore	June 11, 1864	1891—S. Dakota	Aug. 12, 1898	White Oak Cemetery, Chatta., Tenn.

**OUR SAINTED DEAD—Continued**

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
D. B. Lawton	June 5, 1814	1836—B. River	May 12, 1896	Interlochin, Florida
D. S. Hodsden	Feb. 28, 1848	1875—Holston	Dec. 25, 1896	Maryville, Tennessee.
D. H. Jameson	May 26, 1869	1894—Holston	Jan. 20, 1897	Bowling Green, Ohio
John W. Mann	Aug. 9, 1835	1857—Holston	May 30, 1897	Gray Cemetery, Knoxville, Tennessee
W. C. Dailey	Oct. 16, 1818	1843—Holston	June 27, 1897	South Knoxville, Tennessee
A. F. Creswell	Feb. 3, 1848	1875—Holston	June 10, 1897	Ebenezer, Jefferson County, Tennessee
Dan'l Richardson	Sept. 11, 1832	1868—Holston	June 30, 1897	Straight Creek, Claiborne Co., Tenn.
Samuel Greer	Sept. 22, 1811	1867—Holston	Oct. 9, 1897	Scarboro, Tennessee
J. U. Davis	Mar. 4, 1876	1899—Holston	Feb. 11, 1900	Thorn Grove, Knox Co., Tennessee
L. O. Crowder	Feb. 10, 1844	1870—Mississippi	Jan. 11, 1900	Spring Creek, Mississippi
P. H. Scarbrough	April 12, 1870	1899—Holston	Oct. 31, 1902	Concord, Tennessee
T. H. Russell	June 23, 1833	1859—Holston	Apr. 11, 1902	Sunbright, Tennessee
J. B. Fitzgerald	Sept. 26, 1826	1850—Holston	May 30, 1902	Chuckey, Tennessee
P. H. Reed	Mar. 19, 1830	1853—Holston	May 6, 1904	Greeneville, Tennessee
J. B. Seaton	Dec. 28, 1831	1867—Holston	Apr. 8, 1905	Wildwood, Blount Co., Tennessee
G. M. Stout	July 10, 1859	1892—Holston	Oct. 12, 1905	Andersonville, Tennessee
G. B. Cox	Dec. 20, 1848	1884—Holston	Nov. 27, 1905	Sulphur Springs, Washington Co., Tenn.
George Julian	July 10, 1812	1868—Holston	Mar. 5, 1906	Tyner's Station, Tennessee
W. R. Long	Feb. 23, 1819	1844—Holston	May 23, 1906	Athens, Tennessee
John C. Hodge	Aug. 16, 1847	1888—Holston	Aug. 23, 1906	Whitehorn, Tennessee
J. D. Lawson	Jan. 12, 1826	1868—Holston	Nov. 15, 1906	Wear's Valley, Sevier Co., Tennessee
William Kinsland	Sept. 26, 1836	1857—Holston	Aug. 9, 1907	Joppa, Grainger County, Tennessee
R. O. Ayers	Sept. 13, 1831	1864—Cincinnati	Oct. 7, 1907	Cedar Springs, McMinn Co., Tenn.
Robert Walker	Aug. 24, 1865	1897—Holston	Dec. 24, 1907	Wildwood, Blount County, Tennessee
T. G. Chase	Oct. 22, 1850	1873—Georgia	Feb. 10, 1908	Cleveland, Tennessee
G. W. Clendenen	Mar. 5, 1852	1889—Holston	May 26, 1908	Wildwood, Blount Co., Tennessee
T. A. Cass	Jan. 13, 1836	1861—Holston	June 16, 1909	Cedar Springs, McMinn Co., Tenn.
T. B. Little	Feb. 7, 1826	1852—Holston	June 29, 1909	Fincastle, Campbell County, Tenn.
J. S. Walker	May 24, 1840	1861—Holston	June 30, 1909	Morristown, Tennessee
S. W. Hyden	Dec. 15, 1823	1861—Holston	Aug. 5, 1909	Maryville, Tennessee



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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
T. D. Rowe	Sept. 11, 1876	1898—B. Ridge	Feb. 15, 1910	Roan Mountain, Tennessee
J. L. Cardwell	Sept. 20, 1832	1866—Holston	Oct. 20, 1910	Witt's Foundry, Hamblen Co., Tenn.
J. S. Petty	June 24, 1838	1866—Holston	Feb. 4, 1911	National Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
P. H. Henry	Mar. 25, 1838	1878—Holston	June 25, 1911	Maryville, Tennessee
L. B. Caldwell	Jan. 10, 1834	1856—Bay Quinte	Nov. 11, 1911	Chattanooga, Tennessee
John F. Spence	Feb. 3, 1828	1853—Cincinnati	June 24, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
J. F. Perry	Aug. 4, 1848	1872—Holston	April 1, 1912	Pleasant Hill, Meigs Co., Tennessee
I. A. Pearce	Jan. 1, 1839	1860—Pittsburgh	April 5, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
M. C. Miller	Jan. 9, 1852	1882—Holston	June 18, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
W. A. Rule	Apr. 4, 1844	1875—Holston	Mar. 20, 1912	Beaver Ridge, Knox County, Tenn.
R. C. Robertson	Nov. 28, 1847	1879—Holston	June 18, 1912	Pigeon Forge, Sevier County, Tenn.
A. Y. Snavely	July 5, 1846	1889—Holston	Nov. 8, 1911	Well Springs, Tennessee
Thomas B. Russell	Nov. 22, 1854	1875—Holston	Oct. 11, 1912	Johnson City, Tennessee
Noble C. Burkhardt	Feb. 26, 1844	1887—Virginia	Jan. 7, 1914	Hubbard Springs, Virginia
John H. Jennings	Aug. 22, 1837	1869—Holston	Jan. 14, 1914	Washington County, Tennessee
G. T. Newcomb	July 14, 1847	1878—Michigan	Feb. 17, 1914	Chattanooga, Tennessee
R. A. Scott	Mar. 22, 1842	1872—Virginia	May 10, 1914	Hatcher's Cemetery, Tennessee
J. M. Durham	Nov. 1, 1842	1867—Holston	July 19, 1914	Knoxville, Tennessee
W. C. Halton	June 14, 1866	1901—B. Ridge	Oct. 1, 1914	Rockwood, Tennessee
J. N. Baker	Jan. 10, 1839	1869—Holston	Oct. 8, 1914	Fall Branch, Tennessee
S. D. Tuttle	Sept. 17, 1866	1897—Georgia	July 26, 1915	Dayton, Tennessee
J. J. Manker	Dec. 24, 1839	1866—Holston	May 16, 1916	Chattanooga, Tennessee
Benjamin Crist	Apr. 5, 1825	1853—Wisconsin	Jan. 8, 1916	Millersville, Pa.
James A. Ruble	Nov. 4, 1844	1866—Holston	Oct. 29, 1916	Maryville, Tennessee
James B. Keister	Apr. 19, 1844	1892—Virginia	Dec. 17, 1916	Roanoke, Virginia
Isaac N. Pippin	June 26, 1847	1883—Virginia	Apr. 24, 1917	Pippin Cemetery, Virginia
Thomas R. West	Sept. 3, 1838	1861—Holston	May 1, 1917	Athens, Tennessee
Adam C. Peters	Nov. 6, 1843	1872—Holston	May 31, 1917	Burville, Tennessee
James A. Baker	Dec. 25, 1853	1879—Holston	Sept. 6, 1917	Knoxville, Tennessee
F. M. Cones	Nov. 17, 1832	1875—Holston	Sept. 26, 1917	Old Cemetery, Thornton, Indiana

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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
James M. Newton	Apr. 14, 1838	1881—Virginia	Oct. 4, 1918	Gate City, Virginia
Giles A. Conner	Mar. 29, 1842	1870—Virginia	Nov. 10, 1918	Piedmont Cemetery, Oty, Virginia
W. A. Martin	May 19, 1869	1893—Georgia	June 22, 1920	Mt. Zion, Georgia
A. G. Cadle	Mar. 17, 1851	1886—Holston	Jan. 5, 1920	Hurst Cemetery, Middlesboro, Ky.
J. H. Stevenson	Apr. 16, 1860	1916—Troy	Dec. 20, 1919	Mt. Olivet, Nashville, Tennessee
Alwyn Atkins	Aug. 5, 1890	1914—N. E. Sout	Mar. 22, 1921	Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River, Mass.
William V. Elliott	Dec. 15, 1841	1881—Virginia	Apr. 10, 1922	Mt. Pleasant, Virginia
Jasper N. Sadler	Jan. 3, 1879	1913—Holston	Sept. 22, 1922	White Oak Cemetery, Chatia., Tenn.
Robert E. Ayers	May 23, 1874	1901—Holston	Nov. 27, 1921	Cedar Springs, McMinn Co., Tenn.
John C. Harmon	Feb. 21, 1855	1889—Holston	Feb. 2, 1923	Union Cemetery, Newport, Tennessee
W. W. Hooper	Oct. 18, 1843	1890—Holston	Feb. 23, 1923	Chattanooga, Tennessee
G. H. Thompson	Apr. 15, 1845	1901—Holston	Feb. 25, 1923	Smith's Chapel, Simpson, Virginia
T. H. Hodge	Sept. 27, 1848	1876—Virginia	Apr. 4, 1923	Monte Vista, Johnson City, Tennessee
H. B. Ogle	Jan. 28, 1848	1874—Holston	June 27, 1923	Middle Creek, Sevier County, Tennessee
William R. Byerly	July 12, 1856	1888—Holston	Feb. 21, 1924	Baileytown, Tennessee
Burton M. Martin	Oct. 15, 1866	1881—Holston	May 30, 1924	Forest Hill Cemetery, Chatta., Tenn.
N. K. Rowe	May 3, 1868	1894—Holston	Apr. 30, 1925	Unicoi County, Tennessee
John Sanders	Apr. 22, 1867	1901—Holston	Dec. 17, 1924	Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville, Tenn.
G. C. Williams	Sept. 21, 1874	1902—Wilmington	Nov. 12, 1925	Silver Lake Cemetery, Dover, Delaware
J. W. McGhee	June 24, 1852	1886—Holston	Aug. 7, 1926	Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
M. H. Monroe	June 29, 1852	1886—Holston	June 19, 1926	Mt. Pl. Cemetery, Anderson Co., Tenn.
T. R. Baker	July 30, 1865	1902—Georgia	Mar. 10, 1926	Mt. Gilead Cemetery, Benn Hill, Ga.
E. A. Bishop	Aug. 24, 1852	1902—Erie	Dec. 20, 1925	Green Mount Cemetery, Montpelier, Vt.
J. J. Robinette	Feb. 16, 1853	1878—Holston	Dec. 7, 1925	Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
E. C. Ferguson	Oct. 6, 1846	1874—New E.	March 28, 1926	Quincy, Illinois
J. D. Roberson	Feb. 17, 1849	1875—Holston	Nov. 22, 1926	Robeson's Cemetery, Loudon, Tenn.
J. K. Rumburg	Aug. 14, 1853	1878—Virginia	Jan. 8, 1927	Wilson's Cemetery, Simpson's, Va.
T. J. Crumley	Oct. 5, 1858	1885—Virginia	Nov. 20, 1927	River View, Virginia
E. J. Winkler	Jan. 23, 1862	1885—B. Ridge	Nov. 25, 1927	Tasso, Tennessee
H. W. McKenzie	Aug. 5, 1855	1889—Holston	April 11, 1928	Morrison's Chapel, Carter Valley, Tenn.

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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
W. S. Grant	Feb., 1858	1890—Holston	Nov. 2, 1928	Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
L. A. Rominger	Apr. 17, 1847	1886—B. Ridge	Dec. 12, 1928	Red Hill, Bradley County, Tenn.
B. M. Morrison	Sept. 14, 1869	1904—Holston	Dec. 30, 1929	Lenoir City, Tennessee
Thos. H. Conner	Apr. 9, 1864	1902—Holston	March 12, 1930	New Gray Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
Geo. W. Coleman	Oct. 4, 1835	1858—S. Illinois	Oct. 16, 1930	Cleveland, Tennessee
Charles L. Kirby	July 7, 1875	1907—Holston	Oct. 27, 1930	Grand View Cemetery, Maryville, Tenn.
Thos. W. Brown	Nov. 28, 1841	1848—Holston	Jan. 4, 1931	Lynchhurst-Resthaven, Knoxville, Tenn.
A. H. Ingle	Dec. 15, 1840	1875—Virginia	May 17, 1931	Ingle Cemetery, Washington Co., Va.
C. N. Sadler	Aug. 9, 1860	1895—Cent. Tenn.	June 1, 1931	Memorial Park, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Joseph T. Ware	Aug. 29, 1859	1892—Georgia	Nov. 23, 1931	Ludville, Georgia
Richard J. Cooke	Jan. 31, 1853	1873—Cent. Tenn.	Dec. 25, 1931	Athens, Tennessee
E. R. Branam	June 30, 1870	1903—Holston	Feb. 10, 1933	Logan's Chapel, Maryville, Tennessee
M. C. Bruner	Dec. 12, 1855	1881—Holston	May 30, 1933	New Gray Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
J. F. Giles	Oct. 15, 1858	1895—Virginia	March 21, 1933	Athens, Tennessee
T. E. Goodman	Jan. 1, 1874	1914—Holston	May 30, 1934	Oak Grove Cemetery, Greeneville, Tenn.
J. S. Strange	Dec. 8, 1859	1890—Holston	Aug. 14, 1934	Memorial Park, Chattanooga, Tenn.
J. M. Emert	July 21, 1858	1893—Holston	Oct. 10, 1934	Athens, Tennessee
A. A. Newman	March 7, 1872	1906—Kansas	Jan. 9, 1935	Salen Lutheran Church, Cocke Co., Tenn.
J. O. Cox	March 14, 1870	1906—Holston	Feb. 1, 1935	Strawberry Plains, Tenn.
L. D. Hamil	Feb. 20, 1888	1902—Georgia	March 24, 1935	Mt. Zion, Ga.
W. A. Sharp	March 5, 1860	1910—S. Illinois	June 26, 1935	Dahlgren, Ill.
C. D. Houchins	June 12, 1854	1892—Virginia	Oct. 4, 1935	Neodesha, Kansas
S. G. Ketrion	April 9, 1865	1881—Holston	Apr. 30, 1936	City Cemetery, Kingsport, Tenn.
J. A. Mitchell	Oct. 7, 1857	1895—Alabama	Mar. 19, 1936	Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.
A. M. Rose	Dec. 13, 1871	1886—Holston	Apr. 22, 1936	Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville, Tenn.
E. O. Woodyard	June 14, 1872	1904—W. Virginia	July 30, 1936	Lutheran Cemetery, Mosheim, Tenn.
W. L. Oliver	June 14, 1872	1905—Holston	July 7, 1937	Woodlawn Cemetery, Knoxville, Tenn.

# HOLSTON ANNUAL CONFERENCE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sessions of Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church  
in the "Holston Country"

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1788	May 13	Keywoods, Va.....	Francis Asbury...	.....
1790	May 14	Masterson's, Va.....	Francis Asbury...	.....
1792	May 12	Huffakers, Va.....	Francis Asbury...	.....
1793	Apr. 15	Nashville, Tenn.....	.....	.....
1794	Apr. 15	Kentucky.....	.....	.....
1795	May 1	Kentucky.....	.....	.....
1796	Apr. 20	Dawes, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury...	.....
1797	May 1	Bethel, Ky.....	.....	.....
1798	May 2	Holston, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury...	.....
1799	May 1	Bethel, Ky.....	.....	.....
1800	Apr. 4	Dunworth.....	.....	.....

## WESTERN CONFERENCE

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1800	Oct. 6	BethelAcademy, Ky...	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1801	Oct. 1	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1802	Oct. 1	Bethel, Cumberland County, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1803	Oct. 2	Mt. Gerizin, Ky.....	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1804	Oct. 2	Mt. Gerizin, Ky.....	Wm. M'Kendree...	William Burk
1805	Oct. 2	Anthony Houston's.. Scott Co., Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury. } Rich. Whatcoat.	William Burk
1806	Sept. 15	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1807	Sept. 14	Chillicothe, Ohio.....	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1808	Oct. 1	Liberty Hill, Tenn...	Francis Asbury...	William Burk
1809	Sept. 30	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree } Francis Asbury	William Burk
1810	Nov. 1	New Chapel, Shelby County, Ky.....	Wm. M'Kendree...	William Burk
1811	Oct. 1	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	Wm. M'Kendree...	Le'ar Blackburn

## TENNESSEE CONFERENCE

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1812	Nov. 12	Fountain H'd, Tenn..	{ Francis Asbury. } Wm. M'Kendree	William B. Elgin
1813	Oct. 1	Ree's Chapel, Tenn..	{ Francis Asbury. } Wm. M'Kendree	William B. Elgin
1814	Sept. 29	Kennerlys, Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury. } Wm. M'Kendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1815	Oct. 20	Bethlehem, Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury. } Wm. M'Kendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1816	Oct. 26	Franklin, Tenn.....	Wm. M'Kendree...	Thos. L. Douglas
1817	Oct. 30	Franklin, Tenn.....	*T. L. Douglas.....	Hardy M. Coyer
1818	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree } Enoch George...	Chas. Holliday
1819	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree } Enoch George...	Chas. Holliday



## TENNESSEE CONFERENCE—Continued

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1820	Oct. 4	Hopkinsville, Tenn...	*Marcus Lindsey.	Chas. Holliday
1821	Nov. 7	Norvells Cmp. Grd...	{ Wm. M'Kendree { Robt. R. Roberts	Thos. L. Douglas
1822	Oct. 16	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	{ Enoch George... { Wm. M'Kendree	Thos. L. Douglas
1823	Nov.	Huntsville, Ala.....	Enoch George.....	Thos. L. Douglas

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Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1824	Nov. 27	Knoxville, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	John Tevis
1825	Oct. 20	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	{ Robt. R. Roberts { Joshua Soule....	Thos. Stringfield
1826	Nov. 2	Abingdon, Va.....	Joshua Soule.....	Thos. Stringfield
1827	Nov. 1	Knoxville, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	Elbert F. Sevier
1828	Nov. 14	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	Joshua Soule.....	Elbert F. Sevier
1829	Dec. 24	Abingdon, Va.....	Joshua Soule.....	Elbert F. Sevier
1830	Nov. 4	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree { Joshua Soule....	Elbert F. Sevier
1831	Nov. 10	Athens, Tenn.....	Elijah Hedding....	Elbert F. Sevier
1832	Nov. 15	Evansham, Va.....	John Emory.....	Thos. Stringfield
1833	Oct. 16	Kingsport, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	Lew S. Marshall
1834	Oct. 8	Knoxville, Tenn.....	*Jno. Henninger..	Lew S. Marshall
1835	Oct. 7	Abingdon, Va.....	Jas. O. Andrew....	Lew S. Marshall
1836	Oct. 2	Madisonville, Tenn...	Thos. A. Morris...	Lew S. Marshall
1837	Oct. 8	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Jas. O. Andrew....	Lew S. Marshall
1838	Nov. 13	Wytheville, Va.....	Jas. O. Andrew....	Lew S. Marshall
1839	Oct. 13	Greeneville, Tenn....	*Thos. A. Catlet..	D. R. McAnally
1840	Nov. 11	Rogersville, Tenn....	Thos. A. Morris...	Elbert F. Sevier
1841	Oct. 6	Knoxville, Tenn.....	*Samuel Patton....	Elbert F. Sevier
1842	Oct. 5	LaFayette, Ga.....	*Beverly Waugh..	Elbert F. Sevier
1843	Oct. 4	Abingdon, Va.....	Thos. A. Morris...	Elbert F. Sevier
1844	Oct. 9	Reem's Creek, N. C.	Edm'd S. James...	Elbert F. Sevier
1865	June 1	Athens, Tenn.....	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1866	May 17	Greeneville, Tenn....	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1867	Oct. 3	Knoxville, Tenn.....	C. Kingsley.....	John F. Spence
1868	Oct. 8	Chattanooga, Tenn...	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1869	Oct. 7	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	M. Simpson.....	John F. Spence
1870	Oct. 3	Knoxville, Tenn.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1871	Oct. 11	Greeneville, Tenn....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1872	Oct. 2	Cleveland, Tenn.....	S. M. Merrill.....	John J. Manker
1873	Oct. 1	Knoxville, Tenn.....	G. Haven.....	John J. Manker
1874	Sept. 29	Chattanooga, Tenn...	E. G. Andrews....	John J. Manker
1875	Sept. 30	Greeneville, Tenn....	T. Bowman.....	John J. Manker
1876	Oct. 4	Kingston, Tenn.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1877	Sept. 27	Knoxville, Tenn.....	W. L. Harris.....	John J. Manker
1878	Oct. 2	New Market, Tenn....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1879	Oct. 15	Knoxville, Tenn.....	I. W. Wiley.....	John J. Manker
1880	Oct. 20	Greeneville, Tenn....	E. O. Haven.....	Jas. D. Roberson
1881	Oct. 21	Maryville, Tenn.....	E. G. Andrews....	Judson S. Hill
1882	Oct. 19	Chattanooga, Tenn...	M. Simpson.....	Judson S. Hill
1883	Oct. 17	Knoxville, Tenn.....	T. Bowman.....	Judson S. Hill
1884	Oct. 16	Greeneville, Tenn....	H. W. Warren.....	Thos. B. Russell
1885	Oct. 15	Johnson City, Tenn...	J. F. Hurst.....	Thos. B. Russell
1886	Oct. 20	Athens, Tenn.....	W. F. Mallalieu...	Thos. B. Russell

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1887	Oct. 12	Knoxville, Tenn.....	E. G. Andrews....	Thos. B. Russell
1888	Oct. 9	Cleveland, Tenn.....	J. N. Fitzgerald..	Thos. B. Russell
1889	Oct. 9	Dayton, Tenn.....	I. W. Joyce.....	Thos. B. Russell
1890	Oct. 9	Greeneville, Tenn....	J. M. Walden.....	Thos. B. Russell
1891	Oct. 21	Chattanooga, Tenn....	W. X. Ninde.....	Thos. B. Russell
1892	Oct. 5	Morristown, Tenn....	C. D. Foss.....	Thos. B. Russell
1893	Oct. 17	Maryville, Tenn.....	S. M. Merrill.....	Thos. B. Russell
1894	Oct. 17	Johnson City, Tenn..	R. S. Foster.....	Thos. B. Russell
1895	Oct. 9	Knoxville, Tenn.....	D. A. Goodsell....	Thos. B. Russell
1896	Sept. 30	Newport, Tenn.....	W. F. Mallalieu...	James H. Amis
1897	Sept. 23	Athens, Tenn.....	E. G. Andrews....	James H. Amis
1898	Oct. 13	Elizabethton, Tenn..	J. H. Vincent.....	James H. Amis
1899	Oct. 11	Cleveland, Tenn.....	C. D. Foss.....	James H. Amis
1900	Oct. 3	Chattanooga, Tenn..	D. A. Goodsell....	James H. Amis
1901	Oct. 9	Morristown, Tenn....	J. W. Hamilton....	James H. Amis
1902	Oct. 2	Maryville, Tenn.....	J. M. Walden.....	James H. Amis
1903	Sept. 23	Knoxville, Tenn.....	I. W. Joyce.....	James H. Amis
1904	Oct. 6	Newport, Tenn.....	H. W. Warren.....	James H. Amis
1905	Oct. 11	Harriman, Tenn.....	C. H. Fowler.....	Jas. J. Robinette
1906	Oct. 9	Greeneville, Tenn....	W. F. McDowell...	Jas. J. Robinette
1907	Oct. 9	Knoxville, Tenn.....	L. B. Wilson.....	Jas. J. Robinette
1908	Oct. 7	Johnson City, Tenn..	D. A. Goodsell....	Burton M. Martin
1909	Oct. 20	Morristown, Tenn....	W. F. Anderson....	Burton M. Martin
1910	Oct. 12	Athens, Tenn.....	W. F. Anderson....	Burton M. Martin
1911	Oct. 25	Knoxville, Trinity...	W. F. Anderson....	Burton M. Martin
1912	Oct. 23	Chattanooga, Tenn..	T. S. Henderson...	Robt. L. Stapleton
1913	Oct. 15	Maryville, Tenn.....	I. S. Henderson...	Robt. L. Stapleton
1914	Oct. 21	Cleveland, Tenn.....	T. S. Henderson...	Robt. L. Stapleton
1915	Oct. 13	Athens, Tenn.....	T. S. Henderson...	Robt. L. Stapleton
1916	Oct. 11	Johnson City, Tenn..	F. M. Bristol.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1917	Oct. 17	Morristown, Tenn....	F. M. Bristol.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1918	Oct. 30	Chattanooga, Tenn..	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1919	Oct. 15	Knoxville, Tenn.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1920	Oct. 13	Cleveland, Tenn.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1921	Oct. 12	Elizabethton, Tenn..	E. G. Richardson...	O. R. Tarwater
1922	Oct. 11	Rockwood, Tenn.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1923	Oct. 10	Knoxville, 2d Ch....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1924	Oct. 15	Jellico, Tenn.....	W. P. Thirkield...	O. R. Tarwater
1925	Oct. 14	Newport, Tenn.....	H. Lester Smith...	O. R. Tarwater
1926	Oct. 20	Chattanooga, H. Pk...	W. P. Thirkield...	O. R. Tarwater
1927	Oct. 29	Knoxville, 1st Ch....	W. P. Thirkield...	O. R. Tarwater
1928	Oct. 17	Sevierville, Tenn....	H. Lester Smith...	O. R. Tarwater
1929	Oct. 16	Johnson City, Tenn..	C. E. Locke.....	O. R. Tarwater
1930	Oct. 15	Greeneville, Tenn....	A. W. Leonard....	O. R. Tarwater
1931	Oct. 7	Maryville, Tenn.....	H. Lester Smith...	O. R. Tarwater
1932	Oct. 12	Knoxville, 1st Ch....	Wallace E. Brown...	O. R. Tarwater
1933	Oct. 11	Knoxville, 2nd Ch....	Wallace E. Brown...	O. R. Tarwater
1934	Oct. 17	Chattanooga, 1st Ch.	Frederic D. Leete...	O. R. Tarwater
1935	Oct. 15	Knoxville, 2d Church	Wallace E. Brown...	O. R. Tarwater
1936	Oct. 14	Knoxville, Trin. Ch..	Wallace E. Brown...	O. R. Tarwater
1937	Oct. 13	Knoxville, 2nd Ch..	Wallace E. Brown...	O. R. Tarwater

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In 1844 the great division occurred, and in 1845 the Methodist Episcopal Church South, was organized. Continuous activity in Holston Conference Methodist Episcopal Church was abandoned until the close of the Civil War. In 1865 the Holston Conference was re-organized at Athens, Tenn., under Presidency of Bishop David W. Clark.

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24.	*Cavaleri, E. E.	Etowah, Tenn.
25.	*Chaney, J. L.	Newport, Tenn.
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27.	*Cline, Ralph E.	Graysville, Tenn.
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34.	§Cox, I. L. (a)	Gate City, Va.
35.	*Crowder, I. G.	Jonesboro, Tenn.
36.	*Cupp, J. L.	Sunbright, Tenn.
37.	*Curtis, W. R.	1827 Vestal Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
38.	*Daniels, W. C.	600 Eleanor St., Chattanooga, Tenn.
39.	§Davenport, M. N.	Kingsport, Tenn.
40.	*Davis, Orville, L.	Jubbulpore, India.
41.	*Denton, D. P.	New Tazewell, Tenn.
42.	*Dew, J. M.	R.F.D., Morristown, Tenn.
43.	*Dobbs, Cicero	Rogersville, Tenn.
44.	*Donaldson, D. W.	Jellico, Tenn.
45.	*Dye, Charles W.	Radford, Va.
46.	*Dye, W. M.	Etowah, Tenn.
47.	*Eblen, S. N.	Wytheville, Va.
48.	*Ely, C. H.	Salem, Va.
49.	*Elzey, R. C.	Red Bank Station, Chattanooga, Tenn.
50.	*Flynn, Luther	R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
51.	§Ford, J. H. (a)	Roanoke, Va.

52. \*Fowler, Wallace F. ....
53. §Francisco, G. T. .... Young High Pike, Knoxville, Tenn.
54. \*Gilbert, J. F. .... 116 Wheeler Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
55. \*Gillespie, E. G. .... Surgoinsville, Tenn.
56. \*Ghormley, R. R. .... 4504 Highland Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
57. \*Grier, W. M. .... 1510 Ringgold Road, Chattanooga, Tenn.
58. \*Goss, M. F. .... Kingsport, Tenn.
59. \*Graves, W. H. .... Byington, Tenn.
60. \*Graybeal, W. A. (a) .... Gate City, Tenn.
61. \*Hamilton, F. A. .... Patten Memorial Parish House,  
Chattanooga, Tenn.
62. \*Hampton, J. M. .... 1905 Bailey Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
63. §Harris, J. D. (a) .... Baxter, Tenn.
64. \*Harris, W. K. .... Elizabethton, Tenn.
65. \*Hart, Wilbur L. .... R. F. D., Sevierville, Tenn.
66. §Hawk, H. M. .... Rt. No. 2, Lenoir City, Tenn.
67. \*Holliday, Charles .... 1705 Miller Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
68. \*Hopper, S. A. .... Loudon, Tenn.
69. \*Howell, D. L. .... Johnson City, Tenn.
70. \*Howes, John B. .... R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
71. §Huff, R. M. .... Pigeon Forge, Tenn.
72. \*Jenkins, Dewey .... La Follette, Tenn.
73. \*Johnson, W. H. .... Mosheim, Tenn.
74. \*Jones, D. L. .... Morristown, Tenn.
75. \*Keebler, B. G. .... R. F. D., Cleveland, Tenn.
76. §Ketron, A. C. .... Athens, Tenn.
77. \*Kilburn, R. A. .... Univ. of Chattanooga, Chattanooga, Tenn.
78. \*Kilgore, L. E. .... Heiskell, Tenn.
79. \*King, J. A. .... Second M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
80. §Lawson, D. T. (a) .... R.F.D., Greeneville, Tenn.
81. §Lawson, O. A. .... Baileyton, Tenn.
82. \*Ledford, W. F. .... Mountain City, Tenn.
83. §Leonard, I. B. .... Greeneville, Tenn.
84. \*Leslie, R. L. .... R.F.D., Knoxville, Tenn.
85. \*Lippse, Glenn .... Alcoa, Tenn.
86. \*Lucas, C. F. .... Exeter, Va.
87. \*Lynch, J. F. .... Maynardville, Tenn.
88. \*Marshall, T. O. .... Lenoir City, Tenn.
89. \*Martin, W. C. .... 307 Catherine Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
90. \*Mason, F. C. .... Rte. No. 12, Fountain City, Tenn.
91. §Matney, G. W. (a) .... Elizabethton, Tenn.
92. §McKenzie, A. B. .... Lenoir City, Tenn.
93. \*McNeese, Solon .... 2534 Jefferson Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
94. §Miller, C. W. (a) .... LaFollette, Tenn.
95. \*Milburn, J. E. .... Bristol, Tenn.
96. \*MeHaffey, Charles D. .... Athens, Tenn.
97. §Melear, J. M. .... Athens, Tenn.
98. \*Moore, M. M. .... Kingsport, Tenn.
99. \*Murphy, A. J. .... 105 Pembroke Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
100. \*Meyers, J. H. .... R.F.D., Kingsport, Tenn.
101. \*Ogle, E. H. .... First M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
102. §Osborne, James (a) .... Graysville, Tenn.
103. †Paustian, E. C. (a) .... Morristown, Tenn.
104. \*Pelleaux, E. W. .... R. F. D., Dandridge, Tenn.
105. \*Pickering, W. L. .... Clinton, Tenn.
106. \*Pickering, C. E. .... R.F.D., Maryville, Tenn.
107. \*Pierce, Arthur B. .... Harriman, Tenn.
108. §Pippin, E. M. .... 4330 Holston Drive, Knoxville, Tenn.
109. \*Pitts, W. F. .... Sevierville, Tenn.



110.	*Porter, R. F.	Athens, Tenn.
111.	*Ragan, W. H.	Cleveland, Tenn.
112.	*Rambo, M. H.	St. Charles, Va.
113.	*Reed, J. F.	Parrottsville, Tenn.
114.	*Robbins, K. W.	600 W. Pine St., Johnson City, Tenn.
115.	*Robeson, W. E. O.	Rte. No. 13, Knoxville, Tenn.
116.	§Rowan, G. R. (a)	Athens, Tenn.
117.	*Rowe, J. F.	Copper Hill, Tenn.
118.	*Rule, Perry, T.	R.F.D., Maryville, Tenn.
119.	*Russell, W. L. (a)	
120.	§Sanders, F. P. (a)	Friendsville, Tenn.
121.	*Sharp, Robert C. (a)	72 Mt. Vernon St., Boston, Mass.
122.	*Shupe, G. L.	Friendsville, Tenn.
123.	§Sivils, M. L.	Clinton, Tenn.
124.	§Slagle, D. C.	Athens, Tenn.
125.	*Slutz, J. H.	First M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
126.	*Smith, G. C.	Christiansburg, Va.
127.	*Smith, W. A.	Trinity M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
128.	*Stapleton, R. L.	Harriman, Tenn.
129.	*Tarpley, E. N.	First M. E. Church, Roanoke, Va.
130.	*Tarwater, C. B.	312 Burwell Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
131.	*Tarwater, O. R.	Maryville, Tenn.
132.	*Taylor, C. H.	Cleveland, Tenn.
133.	*Thames, R. H.	Athens, Tenn.
134.	*Thompson, A. W.	Dandridge, Tenn.
135.	*Tietze, Godfrey,	Univ. of Chattanooga, Chattanooga, Tenn.
136.	§Torrey, H. M. (a)	LaFollette, Tenn.
137.	§Thurston, E. C. (a)	Elberton, Ga.
138.	*Trentham, E. C.	Soddy, Tenn.
139.	*Wagner, Enos	LaFollette, Tenn.
140.	§Walker, R. E.	Greeneville, Tenn.
141.	*Wareing, E. C.	Patten Memorial Parish House, Chattanooga, Tenn.
142.	*Watson, F. D.	Bristol, Tenn.
143.	*White, O. B.	Pikeville, Tenn.
144.	§Woodward, G. W.	Riner, Va.
145.	*Wilkinson, W. D.	Oakwood M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tenn.
146.	*Williamson, H. G. (a)	Etowah, Tenn.
147.	*Wilson, J. B. (a)	
148.	*Winslow, W. C.	Chuckey, Tenn.

## PROBATIONERS

1.	Deck, John S.	Greendale, Va.
2.	Eddy, Alden D.	Athens, Tenn.
3.	Ekridge, Edgar	South Pittsburg, Tenn.
4.	Gibson, J. Dan	Maryville, Tenn.
5.	Hall, Rowland	
6.	Harris, Harold	Drew Seminary, Madison, N. J.
7.	Palmer, Charles E.	Pittman Community Center, R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
8.	Rogers, Clyde N.	Athens, Tenn.
9.	Tarwater, Oliver R. Jr.	Oneida, Tenn.
10.	Wampler, Roy T.	
11.	Watkins, John M.	Daisy, Tenn.

## CONFERENCE COURSES OF STUDY

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### SCHEDULE FOR INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS CONFERENCE YEAR—1937-'38

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#### Reception on Trial:

Doctrines and Discipline—November-January .....	M. M. Moore
Life of John Wesley—February-March .....	J. E. Milburn
Methodism in American History—April-May .....	G. Tietze
A Bible Biography—July .....	R. C. Elzey
A Written Sermon—August .....	R. C. Elzey

#### First Year—

##### Examinations:

The Abingdon Bible Commentary—November-January....	W. C. Daniels
The Teachings of Jesus—February-March .....	G. J. Creswell
Psychology of Religious Experience—February-March....	M. M. Moore
The Work of Preaching—April-May .....	R. C. Elzey

#### First Year Collateral:

Biblical Readings and Studies—Throughout Year.....	W. C. Daniels
The Jesus of History—November-January .....	W. C. Martin
The Technique of Public Worship—April-May .....	D. L. Jones
Special Homiletical Work—June .....	K. W. Robbins
Are You an Evangelist—July .....	G. J. Creswell
The Story of Methodism—August .....	F. A. Hamilton

#### Second Year—

##### Examinations:

The Abingdon Bible Commentary—November-January.....	J. F. Rowe
The Pastor and Religious Education—February-May.....	D. L. Jones
Teaching Religion Today—February-May .....	D. L. Jones
Teachings of Christian Living—February-May .....	D. L. Jones
The Church History—February-March .....	W. C. Martin

#### Second Year Collateral: .....

Biblical Readings and Studies—Throughout Year.....	J. F. Rowe
The Beacon Lights of Prophecy—November-January.....	J. F. Rowe
Creative Men—February-March .....	W. D. Donaldson
The Christian Enterprise Among Rural People—April-May .....	W. C. Martin
Special Homiletical Work—July .....	J. E. Milburn
Psychology and Life—July-August .....	F. A. Hamilton
John Wesley: Sermons and Selections—July-August....	W. D. Donaldson

**Third Year—**

**Examinations:**

Paul and His Epistles—November-January .....	J. E. Milburn
Introduction to Philosophy—February .....	G. Tietze
Religions of Mankind—March .....	W. C. Martin
The Pastoral Office—April .....	W. M. Dye
The Church and Society—May .....	W. D. Donaldson

**Third Year Collateral:**

Biblical Readings and Studies—Throughout Year .....	M. M. Moore
Religion in Life—Throughout Year .....	K. W. Robbins
Christianity Tested—March .....	W. C. Daniels
The Art of Preaching—April .....	M. M. Moore
Martin Luther: The Man and His Work—July .....	G. Tietze
Special Homiletical Work—August .....	R. C. Elzey

**Fourth Year—**

**Examinations:**

God and Ourselves—November-February .....	K. W. Robbins
A Faith for Today—November-February .....	K. W. Robbins
The Doctrine of God—November-February .....	K. W. Robbins
Social Salvation—March .....	F. A. Hamilton
The Christian Mission in the Modern World—April-May .....	W. M. Dye

**Fourth Year Collateral:**

Religion in Life—Throughout Year .....	F. A. Hamilton
Biblical Readings and Studies—Throughout Year .....	K. W. Robbins
Christ's Alternative to Communism—April .....	G. J. Creswell
The Preacher As a Man of Letters—May .....	W. C. Daniels
Phillips Brooks—July .....	G. J. Creswell
Special Homiletical Work—July-August .....	W. M. Dye
Improving Religious Education Through Supervision—August .....	D. L. Jones

Other necessary information explaining the procedures for the Conference Courses of Study will be found in the report of the Board of Ministerial Training printed elsewhere in this journal.

## CONFERENCE RULES

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1. No person shall absent himself from the sessions of the Conference without leave unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

2. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the Conference proceedings, which he shall cause to be published in the Annual Journal of the Conference, and it shall be the official journal. He shall edit the Minutes and all matter for publication, and shall make contracts for the printing of the journal as in his judgment may seem best. He shall have charge of the Journal and Conference files and forward them to the place of meeting of the Annual Conference each year.

3. All committees whose reports are to be printed in the Journal shall present their reports to the Secretary in writing, otherwise the committee on publication is not required to insert such reports in the Journal.

4. All candidates for admission on trial, for admission into full membership, for admission on credentials from other churches, for re-admission, and for recognition of orders, shall be required to appear before the Committee on Conference Relations and the Board of Examiners, and to furnish such information as may be required touching their general character and their qualifications for the ministry.

5. All cases involving a change in conference relations or withdrawal shall be referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

6. Widows of deceased ministers who have ever traveled with their husbands may be temporary claimants, and may be referred to the Board of Stewards, who shall decide each case from year to year.

7. The chairman of the Board of Stewards shall be ex-officio one of the assistant secretaries of the Conference for secretarial work in connection with the Conference Claimants, and shall be the last member of the Committee on Memoirs.

8. The Memorial Service for deceased members, and for the wives of members shall be the special order the first day of Conference at the close of the Communion Service.

9. Conference visitors shall be allowed 10 minutes in which to address the Conference. District Superintendents' reports shall be limited to 15 minutes, and reports of committees, except the Board of Stewards, to five minutes.

10. All applications for special collections to be apportioned to the charges in the Conference shall be referred to the Committee on Special Collections.

11. There shall be elected each year a Nominating Committee, consisting of three members, which committee shall nominate the Standing Committees and the Committee on Nominations for the ensuing session. No member of the Nominating Committee shall be eligible for consecutive re-election to the committee.



## **Admission, Conference Advancement And Ministerial Service**

**AMIS, JAMES H.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1875; full membership, 1877; located, 1877; readmitted, 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Harris, 1877; Elder by Bishop Simpson, 1882.

Holston: 1875, Sneedville; 1876, Maynardville; 1877-79 Student East Tennessee Wesleyan University, Athens; 1880, Sneedville; 1881-82, Tazewell; 1883, Jellico; 1884-86, Fincastle; 1887, Greeneville; 1888-89, Rogersville; 1890-91, Andersonville; 1892-95, Jellico; 1896-99, Clinton; 1900-01, Athens; 1902-03, Ducktown; 1904, Niota; 1905, (Sy.), Supply. So. California Conference: Randspur, California; 1906, Randsburg; 1907-08, Olinda; 1909, Portersville; 1910, retired; 1910-12, Lancaster, California; 1913, McKittrick, California; 1914, (Sy.), retired, 1915.

**ATHEARN, C. R.**—Admitted on trial 1927. Full membership 1931; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1931; Jasper and Whitwell, 1927; South Pittsburg, 1928-29; Andersonville, 1930-33; Oakdale, 1934, 37.

**ATKINSON, GEORGE W.**—Ordained Deacon by Bishop Locke, 1929 and Elder by Bishop Smith, 1931; Arthur 1922-24; Jacksboro, 1925; Well Spring, 1925-29; Kingston, 1929-31; Central Tennessee Conf. Lawrenceburg, 1932-33; Holston: Jasper, 1933-34; Morristown Circuit, 1934-36; Limestone, 1937.

**ANGEL, SAMUEL P.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1900; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston: Epworth as Supply latter part of 1899 and 1900; Whitwell, 1900-03; Daisy, 1904; Graysville, 1905-06; Athens, Ct.; 1907-08; Lenoir City, 1909; retired, 1910; filled out half of 1910 at Inskip; effective New Salem, 1911; Inskip, 1912-13; Asbury and Elm Grove, 1914; closed year on Friendsville Circuit, 1915; Friendsville, 1916-17; Jones Chapel, 1918; retired, 1920.

**BALES—GEO. S.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston: Supply Rogersville, 1900; Parrottsville, 1900; Elizabethton, 1901; Mountain City, 1902-04; Greeneville District, 1905-10; Harriman, 1911; Pennington, 1912; Knoxville, East Main Ave., 1913-16; Ridgedale, 1917-18; Avondale, 1919-20; Alton Park, 1921-22; South Pittsburg, 1923; Clinton, 1924; Byington, 1925; Kingston, 1926; Vine Grove, 1927; Jacksboro, 1928; Fairmount, 1929; Erie Circuit, 1930-32; Retired, 1933.

**BALL—JAMES M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1924;

full membership, 1927; ordained Deacon by Bishop Thirkield, 1927; Elder by Bishop Locke, 1929.

Holston: West Bristol, 1920-21-22; Riner, 1923; Russell, 1924; Marion, 1925; North Athens, 1926-27; Tennessee Wesleyan Col-

lege, 1926-27; Englewood, 1928-29; Sunbright, 1930-31; Oneida, 1932-33; Big Springs Paris, 1934-35; Englewood, 1936-37.

**BANDY, WILLIAM S.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1894; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1894; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1898.

Holston: Fall Branch, 1894-95; Rogersville, 1896-97; Surgoinsville, 1898-99; Greeneville Circuit, 1900-03; Chuckey, 1904-06; Dandridge, 1907-08; Greeneville Circuit, 1909; Nickelsville, 1910-11; Chestnut Hill, 1912-13; Morristown Circuit, 1914-15; Baileytown, 1916; Surgoinsville, 1917; year for rest and study, 1918; retired, 1919.

**BARBER, WILLIAM F.**—Holston, full membership, 1933; Russell, Fairview, 1935; South Pittsburg, 1936. Left without appointment to attend school

**BARKER, HORACE N.**—Full membership, 1935. Fairmont and Fairview, 1935; South Pittsburg, 1936.

**BELLAMY, CLAUDE V.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1910; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: East Cleveland, 1910; Sunbright, 1911; Oliver Springs, 1912; Crossville, 1913-14; Friendsville, 1915; Roanoke, 1916-17; Manker Memorial, 1918-19; Clinton, 1920; Oakdale, 1921; Conference Evangelist, 1922; Harriman, 1923; Conference Evangelist, 1924-25; Mountain City, 1926-28; Alabama Conference 1929—Simpson, 1929; Boaz, 1929-30; Holston, Pennington Gap, 1931; Jefferson City, 1932; Chestnut Hill, 1933; Townsend, 1934; Inskip, 1935-36; Pigeon Forge, 1937.

**BIRD, JAMES T.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1909.

Holston: Supply, Tracy City, 1902-05; Jasper, 1905-08; Chatata, 1908-09; Loudon, 1909-11; Englewood, 1911-12; Knoxville Circuit, 1912-15; Sy., 1915-16; Asbury and South Knoxville, 1916-18; Maryville Circuit, 1918-22; Lenoir City, 1922-25; Sevierville, 1925-27; Inskip, 1927-31; Oakwood, 1931-33; Whittle Springs, 1933-34; retired, 1935.

**BOLING, JAMES WILLIAM**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Student, University of Chattanooga, 1897-1900; Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio, 1900-01; Jasper, 1901; Crossville, 1902-03; Dayton, 1904; Sevierville, 1905; Greeneville, 1906-07; East Chattanooga, 1908; Maryville, 1909-10; Jellico, 1911-13; St. James, 1914-16; Knoxville, East Main Ave., 1917; Athens, 1918; Harriman District, 1919; Knoxville District, 1920-24; Greeneville, 1925-27; Solicitor in Philanthropic Finance,

1928-29; Supernumerary, 1930-31; New Salem, 1932; Asbury, 1933; Retired, 1934.

**BISHOP, WILLIAM EDWARD**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1924, full membership, 1926; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilbur P. Thirkield, 1926; Elder by Bishop H. Lester Smith, 1928; Rogersville, 1926; Sevierville, 1927-28; left without appointment to attend school, Drew University, graduate work, 1929-30; Greeneville, 1931-33; Morristown, 1934-35; Cleveland, 1936; Johnson City District, 1937.

**BLANCHARD, GEORGE E.**—Fairmount, Supply, 1923-25. Admitted on trial, 1926; full membership, 1929. Ordained Deacon by Bishop Locke, 1929; ordained Elder by Bishop Smith, 1931. South Pittsburgh, 1926; Avondale 1927-31; St. James, February, 1932-37.

**BOYD, ELBERT M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914, full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop F. M. Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Decatur, 1914; Oakwood, 1915; Knoxville Circuit, 1916; LaFollette, 1917-19; Gatliff, 1920; Jacksboro and Gatliff, 1921; Newcomb, 1922-23; Byington, 1924; Clinton, 1925; Pigeon Forge, 1926-27; Lenoir City, 1928-30; Loudon, 1931-33; Oneida, 1934; Cleveland Parish No. 1, 1935-36; Retired, 1937.

**BOWYER, E. L.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop Richardson, 1921; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923; Fries, 1918-19; Floyd, 1920-22; Wytheville, 1923-24; Glenford, 1925; Marion, 1926; Wytheville, 1927-28; St. Charles, 1929-30; Christiansburg, 1931-32; Villa Heights, 1933; Floyd, 1934-35; Marion, 1936-37.

**BRANSON, FRANK T.**—Holston; full membership, 1936; South Knoxville, 1936-37.

**BROYLES, J. W.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Francis J. McConnell, New England Conference, 1922; Elder by Bishop H. Lester Smith, Holston Conference, 1925.

Holston: Dayton, 1917; Daisy and Red Bank, 1918; Elizabethton, 1923; Newport, 1924-25; Maryville, 1926-28; Left without appointment to attend school, 1929-30; Johnson City, 1931-34; First Church, Knoxville, 1935; Professor in Hamline University, 1936-37.

**BULL, WILLIAM M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop W. F. Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Theodore S. Henderson, 1914.

Holston: Pigeon Forge, 1906-13; Chestnut Hill, 1914-16; Dandridge, 1917-23; Thorn Grove, 1924-25; Knoxville Circuit, 1926; Asbury and Jefferson City, 1927-29; Burlington, 1930-37.

**BURNETT, JOHN S.**—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1888; full membership, 1890; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1890; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Blue Ridge: Supply, 1888; Highland, 1889; Swansboro, 1890; Winston, 1890-95; Moorehead City District, 1896; Gladston Dis-

trict, 1897-98; Student, Grant University, 1899-1901; Holston: Hill City, 1899-1901; Chattanooga District, 1901-06; Athens District, 1907-10; Knoxville District, 1911-13; Financial Agent, University of Chattanooga, 1914; Superintendent Southern Highlands Division, Board Home Missions and Church Extension, 1919-37.

BYRD, G. T.—Holston, 1939; Mountain City, 1929-35; Dayton, 1936-37.

CARDWELL, J. W.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1896; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1898; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1901.

Holston: Lenoir City, 1896-97; Erie, 1898; Friendsville, 1899; Chatata, 1900; Ebenezer, 1901-02; Friendsville, 1903; Sy., 1904; Athens Circuit, 1905-06; Sy., 1907-11; Lenoir City Circuit, 1912; Sy., 1913-15; Byington and Scarboro, 1916; Townsend and Walland, 1917; Kingston, 1918-19; Asbury and Knoxville, 1920; Sy., 1921; Kingston, 1922-23; Lenoir City Circuit, 1924-25; Retired, 1926.

CAREY, FRANK H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1903; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1907; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1926.

Holston: Andersonville, 1906-07; Oliver Springs, 1908-09; A. B. Wright Institute, Burrville, 1910-11; Oakdale, 1912; Sy., 1913; McDonald Circuit, 1914; Sy., 1915-17; Chatata, 1918-19. Granted location for School Work, 1920. Re-admitted Holston, 1925; Tellico Plains, 1925-26; Alton Park, 1927-29; Manker Memorial, 1930-32; Beaver Ridge, 1933-35; Rockwood, 1936-37.

CAVALERI, EMILIO E. SR.—Admitted on trial Georgia Conference and ordained an elder by Bishop Frederick D. Leete 1913; full membership 1915; Georgia Conference: East Point 1913-14; East Point and Hemphill Avenue, Atlanta 1915-17; Rossville 1918-20; Alabama Conference: Simpson-Birmingham 1921-25; Central Tenn. Conference: Lawrenceburg 1926; Out of service 1927; Holston Conference: Manker Memorial-Chattanooga 1928-29; Oakdale 1930-32; Oakwood-Knoxville 1933-35; Etowah 1936-37.

CHANEY, J. L.—Admitted on trial Blue Ridge-Atlantic, 1922; left without appointment to attend school, 1923; Soddy 1923-24; Avondale 1925-27; Tinley Park, Ill., 1927-29; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hughes, 1927. Holston: full membership in 1929; ordained Elder by Bishop Locke, 1929; Harriman, 1929-33; Vestal, 1933-34; Newport, 1935-37.

CLARKE, L. B.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; ordained Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1910.

Holston: Supply, Deer Lodge Circuit, 1895-96; Jamestown Circuit, 1897; Deer Lodge Circuit, 1898; Oliver Springs, 1902-07; Well Springs, 1908; Little River, 1909-10; Jefferson City and Dandridge, 1911-12; Dandridge, 1913; Athens Circuit, 1914-16; Sulphur Springs, 1917-19; Newport, 1920-21. St. John's River Conference: Melbourne, 1923-24. Holston Conference, Harriman, 1925-26; Conference Evangelist, 1927; Retired, 1928; Supply



Little River Circuit, 1929-31; Effective South Knoxville, 1932-33; Asbury, 1934; Supt. Holston Assembly Grounds, 1935. Retired, 1936.

CLINE, RALPH E.—Holston; full membership, 1936; Graysville, 1936-37.

CLONCE, PULLIAM L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1908; full membership, 1910; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1910; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1912.

Holston: Pikeville, 1903; Sunbright, 1904; Grant University, 1905-08; Whitwell, 1908; Pikeville, 1909; Burrville and Sunbright, 1910; Well Springs, 1911; Crossville, 1912; Jefferson City, 1913; Daisy, 1914; Graysville, 1916-17; Dayton, 1918; granted year for rest, 1919; Vine Grove, 1920-21; Graysville, 1922; Oliver Springs, 1923-24; Conference Evangelist, 1925; Retired, 1926.

COLDWELL, JOSEPH F.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1921; full membership, 1923; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol in 1923; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Holston: Athens Circuit, 1923; Friendsville and Walland, 1924-25; Maryville Circuit, 1926-27; Sevierville Circuit, 1928-31; New Tazewell, 1932-35; Baileyton, 1936-37.

COLEMAN, H. C.—Holston, 1926; Manker Memorial, 1926-27; St. James, 1928-31; Newport, 1932-33; Harriman, 1934-35; Leave of absence, 1936; Sy., 1937.

CONNER, N. A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop E. G. Richardson, 1921; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Christiansburg, 1918-19; Radford, 1919-20; Christiansburg, 1922-25; Villa Heights, 1926-30; St. Charles, 1931-32; Christiansburg, 1933-35; Floyd, 1936-37.

COOPER, D. B.—Admitted on trial in Georgia Conference, 1915; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Leonard, 1918; Elder by Bishop Richardson, 1920.

Georgia Conference: New Prospect and Dungan, 1915.

Alabama Conference: Edwardsville and Heflin, 1917-18; Haleyville, 1919; Union Hill, 1920.

Holston Conference: Gate City, 1921-22; Salem, 1923; Pennington Gap, 1924-26; Harriman, 1927-28; Jellico, 1929; Morristown, 1930-33; Greeneville, 1934-37.

COX, IVAN L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1912; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1918; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1924.

Holston: Student, 1912; Niota, 1913; Wytheville, 1914-15; Greendale, 1916-18; Wytheville, 1919-20; Radford, 1921; Nickelsville, 1922-25; Glenford, 1926; Nickelsville, 1927; Baileyton, 1928-30; Fall Branch, 1931-32; Surgoinsville, 1933; Gate City, 1934; Retired, 1935.

CRESWELL, GEORGE J.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference,

1911; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Fairmont, 1912-13; Manker Memorial, 1914-17; left without appointment to attend school, 1918-19; Second Church, 1920-37.

**CROWDER, ISAAC G.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1921; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1925; ordained Elder by Bishop Smith, 1928.

Holston: Supply, McDonald Circuit, 1919-20; Chatata Circuit, 1921-24; Rose Hill, 1924-27; Gate City, 1927-28; Moshien, 1928-33; Sulpher Springs, 1934-37.

**CUPP, JOHN L.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1915; full membership, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1917; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1919.

Holston: Supply, Erie Circuit, 1914; Fair Garden, 1915-16; Knoxville Circuit, 1917-18; Crossville and Clarkrange, 1919; Leadville, Colorado, 1920; Limestone, 1921; Rogersville, 1922; Marion, 1923-24; St. Charles, 1925-26; Christiansburg, 1927-28; Floyd, 1929; Wytheville, 1930; Cleveland Circuit, 1931; Big Springs Circuit, 1932; Oliver Springs, 1933; Decatur, 1934-35; Sunbright and Burrville, 1936-37.

**CURTIS, WILLIAM R.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith at Newport, 1925; Cleveland Circuit, 1923-24; North Athens, 1925; Ridgedale, 1926-34; Vestal, 1935-37.

**DANIEL, W. CLAY**—Admitted on trial, 1925; full membership, 1929; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hughes at Garrett; ordained Elder by Bishop Locke, 1929.

Holston: Soddy, 1925; left without appointment to attend school, 1926-27-28; Red Bank, 1929-33; St. Marks, 1934-37.

**DAVENPORT, MORGAN N.**—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1893; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1900.

Virginia: Supply: Tazewell Circuit, 1892; Gravson Circuit, 1893-94; Eagle Rock, 1895; Kingsley Seminary, 1896; Roanoke Circuit, 1897-1900; Eagle Rock, 1901; Greendale, 1902-03; Wise, 1904; New River, 1905.

Holston: Johnson City Circuit, 1906; Baileyton, 1907-08; Sy. Supply, Jonesboro, 1909; Jonesboro, 1910; Conference Evangelist, 1911; Morristown Circuit, 1912-13; Assistant Pastor, Johnson City, 1914; Sy., 1915; Fall Branch and Kingsport, 1916; Morristown Circuit, 1917; Surgoinsville, 1918; Limestone Circuit, 1919-20; Jefferson City, 1921; Greeneville Circuit, 1922; Unicoi 1923; year of rest, 1924; Fall Branch, 1925; Retired, 1926.

**DAVIS, ORVILLE S.**—Ordained Deacon by Bishop E. H. Hughes, 1923; ordained Elder by Bishop H. L. Smith, 1925; admitted on trial Montana Conference, 1925; transferred to and admitted into full membership in the Philippine Islands Annual Conference, 1926; Professor of New Testament in the Union Theological Seminary, Manila; Editor of the "Philippine Observer,"

Pastor of Student Church; on furlough, 1931, graduate study; transferred to the Holston Conference, 1933; Secretary of the Stewart Missionary Foundation for Africa, Professor of Christian Missions and Religious Education, Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga., 1933-36; Jubbulpore, India, 37.

DENTON, DAVID P.—Full membership, 1934. Graysville, 1934-35; New Tazewell, 1936-37.

DEW, JOSEPH M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1921; full membership in 1923; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1923; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Holston: Pigeon Forge, 1923-24; Inskip, 1924-26; Copper Hill, 1927-28; Clinton, 1929-30; Salem, 1931-34; Lenoir City, 1935-36; Morristown Circuit, 1937.

DOBBS, CICERO—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1906; full membership, 1908; ordained Deacon, 1908; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Alabama: Rock Run, 1906; Edwardsville, 1907.

Holston: Jasper, 1908; Crossville, 1909; Scarborough, 1910-11; Vine Grove, 1912-14; Decatur, 1915; Kingston, 1916-17; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1918; Oakdale, 1919-20; Clinton, 1921; Newport, 1922-23; Elizabethton, 1924-25; Alcoa, 1926; Chestnut Hill, 1927-29; Loudon and Niota, 1930; Townsend, 1931; Surgoinsville, 1932; Fall Branch, 1933-34; Rogersville, 1935-37.

DONALDSON, DAVID WARREN—Admitted on trial Pittsburgh Conference, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cranston; ordained elder, 1917 by Bishop Franklin Hamilton. Pittsburgh Conference, 1915 to 1920; N. W. Iowa, 1920-21; Blue Ridge Atlantic, 1922; Instructor in Bible Washington Collegiate Institute and conference director Religious Education, 1922-31; District Supt. Washington Dist., 1927-31; Area Director Religious Education (Alabama, Blue Ridge Atlantic and Central Tenn. Conferences, 1931-33; Asheville, N. C., 1933-34; Holston Conference, 1934; Whittle Springs 1934-35; Jellico, 1936-37).

DYE, CHARLES W.—Full membership, 1937; Radford, 1937.

DYE, WILLIAM M.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1900; ordained Deacon, 1895 by Bishop Andrews; Elder, 1899 by Bishop Goodsell.

In school, 1893-1899; supplied, Ronceverte, W. Va., 1895; supplied, Ridgedale, Tenn., 1896; Transferred to Holston Conference, 1897; Avondale, 1897; school, 1898-1899; transferred Virginia Conference, 1899; Ronceverte, W. Va., 1899-1902; transferred, Genesee Conference, Centerville, N. Y., 1903; Gaineville, 1904-1905; Tonawanda, 1906; transferred to Colorado Conference, 1907.... Breckenridge, Colo., 1907; Idaho Springs, 1908; Denver, 1909-10; Julesburg, 1911-1912; transferred to St. Louis Conference, Harlem Place, 1913-1914; Maplewood, 1915; transferred to Kansas Conference, 1916; Eskridge, 1916-1917; Overbrook, 1918-1919; transferred to Holston Conference, 1920; Roanoke, Va., 1920; Cleveland, Tenn., 1921-1922; Etowah, 1923-1928; Athens, 1929-1931; Treasurer Reserve Pension Fund, 1932-37.

**EBLEN, SAMUEL N.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1916; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1918; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Wytheville, 1916; Riner, 1917; Pennington Gap Circuit, 1918; Greendale, 1919; Roan Mountain, 1920; Bloomingdale, 1921; Cleveland Circuit, 1922; Sy., 1923-1924; Graysville, 1925; Sunbright, 1926-1928; Byington, 1929; Rose Hill, 1930-1932; Wytheville, 1933-37.

**ELY, CHARLES H.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1919; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop E. G. Richardson, 1921; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Student, Athens School, 1916-17-18-19; East Athens, 1919; Elkmont Mission, 1920-23; Knoxville Circuit, 1924-25; Tremont, 1926-30; Lenoir City, 1931-34; Salem, 1935-37.

**ELZEY, ROLAND C.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1923; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1924; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Holston: Supplied, Alton Park, 1915. Wilmington Conference: Supplied Gumboro, Md., 1916-1917. Holston: Supplied Wise, 1918; Salem, 1919; S. Pittsburg, 1920; East Maryville Circuit, 1921-1922; left without appointment to attend school, 1923-1924; Lenoir City, 1925-1926; Alcoa, 1927-1929; Jellico, 1930-33; Red Bank, 1934-37.

**FLYNN, LUTHER**—Holston, full membership, 1931; Pittman Center, 1931-37.

**FORD, JOHN H.**—Holston, 1923; Roanoke, 1923-29; Retired, 1930.

**FOWLER, WALLACE F.**—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1932; full membership 1934; ordained Deacon by Bishop Keeney, 1934; Ordained Elder by Bishop Brown, 1936; Alabama: Massey, 1932; Waterloo, 1933-35; Holston: Fairmount, 1937.

**FRANCISCO, GEO. T.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill, 1893; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1895.

Holston: Pikeville, 1890; Grant University, 1891-1892; Ooltewah, 1892; Carnegie and Jonesboro, 1893; Dayton, 1894; South Pittsburg, 1895; Newport, 1896-97; Greeneville District, 1898-1903; LaFollette District, 1904; Knoxville District, 1905-10; Sunday School Missionary, 1911-15; Park City, 1916-19; Maryville, 1920-23; Jones Chapel, 1924-28; Financial Agent, Tennessee Wesleyan College, 1929-32; Retired, 1933.

**GHORMLEY, RUPERT R.**—Holston, full membership, 1929; Soddy, 1929-32; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1933-35; Alton Park, 1936-37.

**GILBERT, J. FLOYD**—Admitted on trial Holston Conference 1930; full membership 1932; ordained Deacon by Bishop Brown, 1932; Elder by Bishop Brown, 1935. Holston: Cleveland Parish No. 1, 1930-34; Manker Memorial, 1935-37.

**GILLESPIE, E. G.**—Holston, full membership, 1925; Sulphur Springs



1925; Greeneville Circuit, 1925-1927; Telford, 1928; Kingsport Circuit, 1929-33; Surgoinville, 1934-37.

GOSS, MOSES F.—Holston, full membership, 1926; Sevierville Circuit, 1926-27; Patten Community Center, 1928-31; Crossville, 1932-35; Kingston, 1936-37.

GRAYBEAL, W. A.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference, 1913; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913, under the Seminary rules; Elder by Bishop Hughes, 1917.

Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference: Clyde, 1913-17; Lansing, 1917-19.

Holston Conference: Glenford, 1919-22; Pennington Gap, 1922-23; Gate City, 1924-26; year of rest, 1927; Retired, 1928.

GRAVES, WALTER H.—Full membership, 1933; Dayton, 1933; Rockwood, 1934-35; Beaver Ridge and Solway, 1936-37.

GRIER, WORTH M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop H. Lester Smith, 1925; Elder by Bishop Adna W. Leonard, 1930.

Holston Conference: Student Athens School, University of Chattanooga, 1917-21; East Athens and East Etowah, 1919-20; Dayton, 1920-21; Byington and Solway, 1921-24; Kingston, 1924-26; LaFollette, 1926-28; Clinton, 1928-29; Oneida, 1929-32; Gate City and Hilton, 1932-33; St. Charles, 1933-34; LaFollette, 1934-36; Ridgedale, 1937.

HAMILTON, FRANK A.—Received on trial St. John's River Conference 1922; Ordained Deacon, 1924; Ordained Elder, 1926; Served in Miami Parish, 1922-27; First Church, Daytona Beach, 1927-36; First Church, Chattanooga, Holston Conference, 1936-37.

HAMPTON, JOE M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon, by Bishop Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1924.

Holston: Soddy, 1920-21; Elizabethton, 1922; Alton Park, 1923-24; Jellico, 1925-28; Etowah, 1929-31; Harriman District, 1932-36; Highland Park, 1937.

HARRIS, JOSEPH D.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1897; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1899.

Central Tennessee: Bloomington, Monroe, Cliff Springs, Dowelltown, Margaret, Baxter District 6 years, Bible teacher in Baxter Seminary for one year.

Georgia Conference: Flint Stone, LaFayette.

Arkansas Conference: Siloam Springs, Rogers.

N. W. Kansas Conference: Portis, McCracken.

Holston Conference: Rockwood, Alton Park, Vestal, St. Mark's, Ridgedale, and Conference Evangelist; Retired, 1927.

HARRIS, WM. K.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1898; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1903; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1905.

Blue Ridge: Student Grant University, 1898-99; Supply Central Tennessee Conference, Sparta and McMinnville, 1900; student Grant University, 1901. Virginia Conference: Eagle Rock, 1902-03. Northwest Kansas Conference: Webber, 1904. Holston: South Knoxville and Asbury, 1905; South Knoxville, 1905-06; Morristown, 1907-08; Second Church, Knoxville, 1909-13; Knoxville District, 1914-19; Etowah, 1920-21; Greeneville, 1922-24; Bristol, 1925-27; year of rest, 1928; Highland Park, 1929-32; Sevierville, 1933-36; Elizabethton, 1937.

HART, WILBUR L.—Admitted on Trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1914; Full Membership, 1918; Ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Central Tennessee Conference: 1914, Crowson Charge; 1915, Wheel Charge; 1916-21, McLemoresville. Alabama Conference: 1921-26, Director of Religious Education and Professor of Bible and Social Science: John H. Snead Seminary, Broaz, Alabama; 1926-31, Professor of Bible and Social Science, John H. Snead Seminary, Boaz. Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference: 1931-34, Bessemer City; 1934-36, Kannapolis. Holston Conference: 1936, Sevier Circuit, 1936-37.

HAWK, HENRY M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston: Supply Decatur, 1900-01; Chatata, Student, Grant University, 1902-06; Fairmont, 1907; student, Grant University, Kingston, 1908-09; Rockwood, 1910; Clinton, 1911-12; Lonsdale, 1913-17; Lenoir City, 1918-21; Harriman District, 1922-24; Lonsdale, 1925-27; East Main Ave., 1928-30; Inskip, 1931-33; Dayton, 1934-35; retired, 1936.

HOLLIDAY, CHARLES—Holston, full membership, 1929; Daisy, 1929-31; Avondale, 1932-37.

HOPPER, S. A.—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1910; ordained Deacon, 1912; ordained Elder, 1914.

Alabama Conference: Bradford Mission, 1911; Prat City, 1912-13; Almond, 1914-15-16; Haleyville, 1917-18. Holston: Coalmont, 1918-20; Sulphur Springs, 1920-22; Mountain City and Butler, 1923; Telford, 1924-25; Parrottsville, 1926-27; Greeneville Circuit, 1928-31; Sunbright, 1932-33; Andersonville and Heiskell, 1934-36; Loudon, 1937.

HOWELL, DILLARD L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1912; recognized as a Deacon on Orders from Free Baptist Church, 1911; full membership, 1914.

Holston: Supply Jonesboro, 1911; Jonesboro, 1912; Telford, 1913-14; Bloomingdale, 1915; Telford, 1916-17; Mountain City, Circuit, 1918-25; Sulphur Springs, 1926-30; Mountain City Circuit, 1931; Telford, 1932-34; Johnson City Circuit, 1935-36.

HOWES, JOHN B.—Holston, 1937; Pittman, 1937.

HUFF, R. M.—Holston, full membership, 1922.

Holston: Asbury, 1922; Sevierville Circuit, 1923-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925-26; Coalmont, 1927; Rose Hill, 1928-29; Salem, 1930; Retired, 1931.

**JENKINS, DEWEY**—Holston, full membership, 1924; Morristown Circuit, 1924; Dandridge, 1925-27; Pigeon Forge, 1928-32; Knoxville Circuit, 1933-35; Loudon, 1936; LaFollette, 1937.

**JOHNSON, WILLIS H.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Thirkield, 1927; full membership, 1927; ordained Elder by Bishop Locke, 1929.

Holston: Marion, 1927; Fall Branch, 1928-30; Sulphur Springs, 1931-33; Mosheim, 1934-37.

**JONES, DANIEL L.**—Holston, 1926; Associate Pastor, First Church, Chattanooga, 1926-28; Sevierville, 1929-32; Cleveland, 1933-35; Morristown, 1936-37.

**KEEBLER, BUFORD G.**—Full membership, 1935; Coalmont, 1935; Cleveland Parish No. 2, 1936-37.

**KETRON, ALBERT C.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1899; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Student, Grant University, 1899-1901; Supply Alton Park, 1900; Surgoinsville, 1901; Fall Branch, 1902-03; Newport, 1904; New Salem, 1905; Hilton, 1906-07; Fall Branch, 1908-09; Roan Mountain, 1910; Sulphur Springs, 1911-13; Chuckey, 1914-15; Bloomingdale, 1916-17; Telford, 1918-19; Oliver Springs, 1920-23; Clinton, 1923; Athens Circuit, 1924-27; Big Spring, 1928; North Athens, 1929; Athens Circuit, 1930; North Athens, 1931-32; Retired, 1933.

**KILBURN, ROLLO A.**—Admitted on trial, New York Conference, 1913; ordained Deacon, 1914; admitted to full membership in New York Conference, 1915; ordained Elder, 1917.

New York Conference: Left without appointment to attend school, 1913; First Church, Pleasantville, 1914; Valis Gate, 1915-16; East Branch, 1917-18; Chaplain in U. S. Army, 1919; Interchurch World Movement, 1920; Director Rural Leadership, Athens School, 1921-23.

Holston, 1924; Director of Religious Education and Rural Leadership, Athens School, 1924-27; Director Religious Education, University of Chattanooga, 1928-37.

**KILGORE, L. E.**—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1913; full membership, 1914; ordained Deacon by Bishop Leete, 1914; ordained Elder by Bishop Leete, 1917.

Georgia Conference: Rock Springs, 1913-18; McCaysville, 1919-23.

Holston Conference: Coalmont, 1923-25; Wytheville, 1926-27; Riner, 1928-33; Vine Grove, 1934-35; Patten Community Center, 1936; Heiskell, 1937.

**KING, JOHN A.**—Holston: 1935; Jellico, 1935; Associate Pastor Second Church, Knoxville, 1936-37.

**LAWSON, DAVID T.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Holston: Rogersville, 1901; Surgoinsville, 1902-03; Morristown Circuit, 1904-09; Greeneville Circuit, 1910-13; Sy., 1914-24; Retired, 1925.

LAWSON, OTIS A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Fair Garden Supply, 1913; Fair Garden, 1914; Riner, 1915-16; Wytheville, 1917-18; Nickelsville, 1920-21; Glenford, 1922; Hilton, 1923; Limestone, 1924-26; Mountain City Circuit, 1927-28; Elizabethton Circuit, 1929-30; Baileyton, 1931-32; Rogersville, 1933; Nickelsville, 1934-36; Retired, 1937.

LEDFORD, W. F.—Holston: 1935; Kingsport Circuit, 1935; Mountain City, 1936-37.

LEONARD, ISAAC B.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1901; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1905.

Virginia: Supply Washington, 1900; Elk Garden, 1901; Hilton's, 1902-05. Holston: Pattonville, 1906-08; Greendale, 1909-11; Bloomingdale, 1912-13; Greeneville Circuit, 1914-18; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1919-20; South Greeneville Circuit, 1921; Supernumerary, 1922-23; Chuckey, 1924-26; Morristown Circuit, 1927-28; Limestone, 1929-31; Greeneville Circuit, 1932-34; Baileyton, 1935; retired, 1936.

LESLIE, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1896; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1898; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1901.

Virginia: Marion, 1896-97; Russell, 1898; Nickelsville, 1899; Mendota, 1900-01; Pennington Gap, 1902; Washington, 1903-04; Marion, 1905-07. Holston: Greendale, 1907; Burrville and Sunbright, 1908-09; Andersonville, 1910; Surgoinsville, 1911; New Salem, 1912; Lenoir City Circuit, 1913; Sy., 1914-16; Effective, Maynardville, 1917; Heiskell, 1918; Supernumerary, 1919; Supply, Heiskell, 1919; Retired, 1922.

LIPPSE, GLENN F. J.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1929; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1931; Fair Garden, 1928-30; Radford, 1930-34; Townsend and Tremont, 1935-36; Alcos, 1937.

LUCAS, CLAUDIUS FOWLER—Received on trial Kentucky Conference, 1893; full membership, 1899; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1898; ordained Elder by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1903.

North Dakota Conference: Mandan, 1900; Indian Territory Mission, Tulsa, 1904; New Mexico English Mission, Alamogordo, 1906; Colorado, Bristol, 1913.

Holston: Copperhill, 1923; Ridgedale, 1924; Alton Park, 1925-26; Englewood, 1927; Oneida, 1928; LaFollette, 1929-30; Kingston, 1931-32; Friendsville, 1933-34; New Salem, 1935; leave of absence, 1936-37.

LYNCH, JOHN F.—Admitted on trial 1914, full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder, 1919.

Holston: Big Valley, 1911 to 1916; Chestnut Hill, 1917-18;



Sevierville Circuit, 1919-22; LaFollette, 1923; Oneida, 1924-27; Beaver Ridge, 1928; Big Valley, 1929-35; Maynardville, 1936.

MARSHALL, T. O.—Received on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; ordained Deacon by Bishop H. Lester Smith, 1925; ordained Elder by Bishop Wilber P. Thirkield, 1927. Loudon and Niota, 1925-26; Pennington Gap, 1927-30; Dandridge, 1930-34; Ridgedale, 1935-36; Lenoir City, 1937.

MARTIN, WILLIAM C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Byington, 1914; Crossville, 1915-1917; Rockwood, 1918-23; St. Mark's 1924; Knoxville District, 1925-30; President Murphy Collegiate Institute, 1931-35; Lonsdale, 1936-37.

MASON, FRANK C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1929; full membership, 1933; ordained Deacon by Bishop Brown, 1933.

Holston: New Salem, 1928-30; South Knoxville, 1931; Maryville Circuit, 1932-35; Knixville Circuit, 1936-37.

MATNEY, GREEN W.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1891; full membership, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Malla-lieu, 1895; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Blue Ridge: Brevard, 1893; Highlands, 1894-1900; Marion, 1901. Holston: Jonesboro, 1902-05; Parrottsville, 1905-09; Mosheim, 1910-13; Mountain City and Butler, 1914-21; Roan Mountain, 1922-26; Johnson City Circuit, 1927-33; Retired, 1934.

McKENZIE, ALBERT B.—Holston: Newport Circuit, 1896; Graysville, 1897; South Pittsburgh, 1898; Sevierville, 1899-1900; New Salem, 1901; Dandridge, 1902; Chuckey, 1903; Greeneville Circuit, 1904-05; Fall Branch, 1906; Greeneville Circuit, 1907; Lenoir City, 1908; Decatur, 1909; Park City, 1910; Knoxville Circuit, 1911; Loudon, 1912; Oliver Springs, 1913; Friendsville, 1914; Scarboro, 1915; Conference Evangelist, 1916-27; year for rest, 1928; Oliver Springs, 1929; Supernumerary, 1930; Retired, 1931.

McNEESE, SOLON—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1917; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop H. Lester Smith, 1925; Elder by Bishop Wilbur P. Thirkield, 1927.

Holston: Student at Athens, 1917-20; Lenoir City Circuit, 1918-20; Student at University of Tennessee, 1920-21; Jefferson City and Oakland, 1920-21; Student at University of Chattanooga, 1922; Dayton, 1922; Supernumerary, 1923; Rogersville, 1923-24; Alcoa, 1925; Rockwood, 1926-29; Alton Park, 1930-31; Lonsdale, 1932-35; Park City, 1936-37.

MEHAFFEY, CHARLIE D.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1930; student Tennessee Wesleyan College, 1931; Drew University, 1932-34; Ordained Deacon, by Bishop Brown, 1935; Ordained Elder by Bishop Brown, 1937.

Holston: Big Springs 1928-30; Newark Conference 1931-34; Telford, 1935-37.

**MELEAR, J. M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1892; full membership, 1894; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1894; Elder by Bishop Mallalieu, 1896.

Holston: Carnegie, 1892; Sherman Heights, 1893-95; Athens, 1895-97; Luttrell Street, now Trinity, 1897-1905. West Wisconsin: Baraboo, 1905-07. Northwest Indiana: Frankfort, 1907-11; Kentucky: Lexington, 1911-16. Holston: Editor, Methodist Advocate-Journal, 1916-32; Treasurer Endowment Fund, Tennessee Wesleyan College, 1932-33; Retired, 1934.

**MEYERS, JOHN H.**—Received on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; ordained Deacon by Bishop H. Lester Smith, 1925; Elder by Bishop W. P. Thirkield, 1927; Big Valley, 1923-24; Crossville, 1925; Maynardville, 1926; Thorn Grove, 1927-29; Asbury and Jefferson City, 1930-31; Greendale and Glenford, 1932; Rose Hill, 1933-34; Rose Hill and Jonesville, 1935; Kingsport Circuit, 1936-37.

**MILBURN, JAMES E.**—Admitted on trial, 1915; full membership, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1917; Elder by Bishop Berry, 1922.

Holston: Roan Mountain, 1915; student, 1916; Cleveland Circuit, 1917; Morristown Circuit, 1918; Greeneville, 1919; left without appointment to attend school, 1920-25; Kingsport, 1926-27; Morristown, 1928-29; Cleveland, 1930; Harriman District, 1931; Johnson City District, 1932-36; Bristol, 1937.

**MILLER, CHAS. W.**—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1886; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1888.

South American Mission: Monetoides, 1886-90; Medoza, 1890-93. Alabama Conference. Holston Conference, 1894; Cumberland Gap Circuit, 1895-98; Tazewell Circuit, 1898-99; Professor, Powell's Valley Seminary, 1899-1900; Big Valley, 1900-01; Well Spring, 1901-02; Mingo Mines, 1903; Retired, 1904.

**MOORE, MARK M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1923; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, Elder by Bishop Leonard, 1930.

Holston: Etowah Circuit, 1921-22; Lenoir City Circuit, 1922-23; Alcoa, 1923-24; Asbury, 1924-26; Byington and Solway, 1926-28; left without appointment to attend school, 1928-30; Supply Rock River Conference, Davis Junction, 1928-29; Penning Gap, 1930-31; Clinton, 1931-33; Kingsport, 1933-37.

**MURPHY, A. J.**—Holston, 1931; Alcoa, 1931-33; Pennington Gap, 1934-35; Whittle Springs, 1936-37.

**OGLE, E. H.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Cleveland Circuit, 1920-21; Salem, 1922; St. Charles, 1923-1924; Townsend, 1925-26; Loudon, 1927-28; Vestal, 1929-32; Highland Park, 1933-36; Knoxville District, 1937.

**OSBORNE, JAMES**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent,

1898; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston: Supply 13 years; Maryville Circuit, 1906-08; Graysville Circuit, 1909-10; Whitwell Circuit, 1911-14; Chatata, 1915-17; Vine Grove and Spring City, 1918-19; Graysville, 1920-21; Retired, 1922.

PAUSTIAN, ERWIN CARL—Admitted on trial, West German Conference, 1915; full membership, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Shepard; ordained Elder by Bishop Shepard, 1919.

West German: Sedalia, Mo., 1915-19. Left without appointment 1919-20 to attend school; supplied Rock River Conference, New Lenox, Ill. Transferred Dakota Conference, 1921.

Dakota: Professor, Dakota Wesleyan University, Mitchell, S. Dak., 1920-26; General Secretary, South Dakota Council of Religious Education, 1926-27; Transferred Minnesota Conference, 1927.

Minnesota: Professor, Hamline University, St. Paul, Minn., 1927-29; Professor, Chicago Training School, Chicago, Illinois, 1929-33. Transferred Holston Conference, 1933.

Holston: President, Morristown Normal and Industrial College, Morristown, Tenn., 1933-35; Supernumerary, 1936-37.

PELLEAUX, ERNEST W.—Holston, full membership, 1932; Townsend and Tremont, 1932-33; Chestnut Hill, 1934-37.

PIERCE, ARTHUR B.—Holston, 1937; Harriman, 1937.

PICKERING, CHARLES E.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1933; full membership, 1935; Ordained Deacon by Bishop Brown, 1935; Elder by Bishop Brown, 1937.

Holston Conference: Limestone, 1933-34; Greeneville Circuit, 1935; Maryville Circuit, 1936-37.

PICKERING, WALTER L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1919; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1927.

Holston Conference: Thorn Grove, 1918-1919; Jones' Chapel, 1920-1921; Etowah, 1922.

Michigan Conference: Jonesville, 1923.

Holston Conference: St. James, 1924-27; Elizabethton, 1928; Kingsport, 1929-32; Clinnton, 1933-37.

PIPPIN, E. M.—Admitted on trial in Virginia Conference, 1894; full membership, 1899; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1899; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Virginia Conference: Tazewell, 1894-95; Elk Garden, 1896; Radford, 1897-98. Missouri Conference: Loreda, 1899; Lucerne, 1900-1901.

Holston Conference: Alton Park, 1901-02; Cleveland Circuit, 1903; Loudon, 1904-05; withdrew from Church 1905; re-admitted to Holston Conference, 1912; Decatur Circuit, 1912; Athens Circuit, 1913; Jones Chapel, 1914; South Knoxville, 1915; LaFollette, 1916; Byington and Scarboro, 1917; Sy., 1918-20; South Knoxville, 1921-23; Sy., 1924-25; Coalmont, 1926; Maynardville, 1927; Rutledge, 1928-29; Fair Garden, 1931; Lenoir City Circuit, 1932; New Salem, 1933-34; Asbury, 1935; retired, 1936.

**PITTS, WILLIAM F.**—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, 1897; at Tallapoosa, Ga.; ordained Elder by Bishop John W. Hamilton, 1901, at Morristown, Tenn. Record of work:

Georgia: Dunnagan Circuit, Belton, Ga., as a supply, 1894; Ellijay, 1895-98; Spring Place, Dalton, Ga., 1899; LaFayette, 1900.

Holston: Graysville, 1901; East Main Avenue, Knoxville, 1901-08; St. James, Chattanooga, 1908-10; Bristol, 1910-12; Cleveland, 1912-14; Harriman, 1915; Maryville, 1916-17; Johnson City, 1917-23; Athens, 1923-24; Park City, 1925-29; Oakwood, 1930; Elizabethton, 1931-36; Sevierville, 1937.

**PORTER, R. FRANK**—Admitted on trial St. Johns River Conference, 1907. New Smyrna, 1907-10; Mt. Dora, 1910-12. Holston: Harriman, 1912-14; Cleveland, 1914-16. St. Johns River Conference, Eustis, 1916-20. Kansas Conference, 1920-36. Holston: Athens, 1936-37.

**RAGAN, WILLIAM H.**—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Park City, 1914-15; Sevierville, 1916-18; Jellico, 1919-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925-26; Athens, 1927-28; Maryville, 1929-30; Knoxville District, 1931-36; Cleveland, 1937.

**RAMBO, MOSES H.**—Admitted on trial, Des Moines Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1902; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1904.

Des Moines: Supply, Avoca, 1900; Red Oak Circuit, 1901; Vanwert, 1902; Walnut, 1903-05. Holston: Townsend, 1906-07; Beaver Ridge, 1908-09; Sy., 1910; LaFollette, 1911-13; Mountain City Circuit, 1914-16; Bristol District, 1917-21; Jones Chapel, 1922-23; Copper Hill, 1924-26; Lenoir City, 1927; Townsend, 1928; Knoxville Circuit, 1929-32; Kingston, 1933-35; Radford, 1936; St. Charles, 1937.

**REED, JACOB F.**—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Rogersville, 1914-15; Mosheim, 1916-21; Bristol District, 1922-27; Parrottsville, 1928-37.

**ROBBINS, KIRK WALDO**—Holston, 1937; Johnson City, 1937.

**ROBESON, W. E. O.**—Holston, full membership, 1925; Conference Evangelist, 1925-26; Knoxville Circuit, 1927-28; Loudon, 1929; Chestnut Hill, 1930-32; Pigeon Forge, 1933-36; New Salem, 1937.

**ROWAN, GEORGE R.**—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1892; full membership, Oklahoma Conference, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1892; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1893.

Holston: Teacher in Aaron Seminary, 1891-93. Oklahoma Conference, 1893-95. Holston: Ducktown, 1895-96; Cleveland, 1896-99; Johnson City, 1899-1900; Baileytown and White Horn, 1904-06; Rogersville, 1907; Assistant Pastor, Athens, 1909-11; Assistant Pastor, Englewood, 1912; Sy., 1913-24; Retired, 1925.



ROWE, J. FRED—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1913; full membership, Seminary Rule, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913; ordained Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston Conference: Jefferson City, 1912-13; Pikeville, 1913-15; Elizabethton, 1915-19; Sevierville, 1919-22; Lonsdale, 1922-24; Harriman District, 1925-30; Cleveland, 1931-32; Copperhill, 1933-37.

RULE, PERRY T.—Holston, full membership, 1936; Little River Circuit, 1936-37.

RUSSELL, WALTER L.—Holston: full membership, 1927; Rose Hill, 1927; Little River, 1928; Townsend, 1929-30; Whittle Springs, 1931-32; Oakdale, 1933; Inskip, 1934; 1935-36-37 "left without appointment to attend school.

SANDERS, F. P.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1903; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Central Tennessee: Huntingdon, 1903. South Illinois: Mulberry Grove, 1904. Central Tennessee: Huntingdon, 1905; Holston: Pikeville, 1907; located, 1908; re-admitted, 1910; Friendsville, 1910-13; Little River, 1914-16; Oakwood, 1917-18; Friendsville, 1919-21; Maryville Circuit, 1922-25; leave of absence, 1926; Conference Evangelist, 1927; Union Grove Circuit, 1928-32; Retired, 1933.

SHARP, R. C.—Full membership, 1935; St. Charles, 1935; left without appointment to attend school, 1936-37.

SHUPE, GURNEY L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1916; full membership, 1919; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1919; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston: Salem, 1916; Gate City, 1917; Marion, 1918-19; Rose Hill, 1920; Wytheville, 1921-22; Glenford, 1923-24; Riner, 1925-26; Telford, 1927; Nickelsville, 1928-31; Sevierville Circuit, 1932-33; Thorn Grove, 1934-35; Friendsville, 1936-37.

SIVILS, M. L.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1913; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Leete, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Georgia: Ellijay, 1914-16; Cedartown, 1917; Epworth, 1918; Holston: Decatur, 1919; Andersonville, 1920; Sunbright and Lancing, 1921; Well Spring, 1922-25; Crossville, 1926; Kingston, 1927-28; year for rest, 1929; Supernumerary, 1930-31; Athens Circuit, 1932-33; Well Spring, 1934; Lenoir City Circuit, 1935; Jacksboro and Newcomb, 1936; Retired, 1937.

SLAGLE, DAVID C.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1904; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Spellmyer, 1907; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1916.

Blue Ridge: Sylva, 1904; Teresita, 1905-06; Pisgah, 1907; Irwin, 1908. Holston: Jasper, 1909; Auburn, 1910; Riner, 1911; Marion, 1912-13; Sy., 1914; Nickelsville, 1915-16; Thorn Grove, 1917; Friendsville, 1918; Decatur, 1919-20; No. Athens, 1921; Chuckey, 1922; Greeneville Circuit, 1923; Mountain City, and Butler, 1924-26; Mountain City Circuit, 1926; Kingsport

Circuit, 1927-28; Morristown Circuit, 1929; Rutledge, 1930-31; Newport Circuit, 1932; Lenoir City Circuit, 1933; Erie Circuit, 1934; Retired, 1935.

SLUTZ, J. HOMER—Holston, 1936; First Church, Knoxville, 1936-37.

SMITH, GUY C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1927; full membership, 1929; ordained Deacon by Bishop Locke, 1929; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1931. South Knoxville as supply, 1923-25; Christiansburg, Va., 1926; St. Charles, Va., 1927-28; Gate City, Va., 1929-30; West Bristol and Glenford, 1931; Marion, 1932-35; Christiansburg, 1936-37.

SMITH, WALTER A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1920; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston: Soddy, 1917; St. James, 1918; Highland Park, 1920-22; Cleveland, 1923-25; Chattanooga District, 1926-31; Trinity, 1932-37.

STAPLETON, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Supply, Sherman Heights, 1898; Rockwood, 1899; Newport, 1900-01; Morristown, 1902-04; Alton Park, 1905-06; Jellico, 1907-08; S. S. Missionary, 1909-10; Maryville, 1911-14; Morristown, 1915-16; Johnson City District, 1917-22; Highland Park, 1923-28; Executive Secretary Reserve Pension Fund, 1929-30; St. Mark's 1932-33; Alcoa, 1934-36; Harriman District, 1937.

TARPLEY, E. N.—Admitted on trial in Georgia Conference, 1919; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop Richardson, 1921; Elder by Bishop Richardson, 1923.

Georgia Conference: Assistant Pastor, Rock Springs, 1920; Tallaposa, 1921-25. Holston Conference, 1926; Salem, 1926-29; First Church, Roanoke, 1930-37.

TARWATER, CHARLES B.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1920; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1920; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston Conference: Student, Athens School, University of Chattanooga, 1915-16-17; Erie Circuit, 1915-17; Alton Park, 1918-20; Whittle Springs, Knoxville, 1921-24; East Main Ave., 1925-26; Newport, 1927-31; Etowah, 1932-35; Oakwood, 1936-37.

TARWATER, OLIVER R.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston: Manker Memorial, 1907; student, Boston, Mass., 1908; Johnson City, 1909-12; Bristol District, 1913; Trinity, Knoxville, 1914-18; Athens, 1919-22; Morristown, 1923-24; Johnson City, 1925-30; Maryville, 1931-37.

TAYLOR, CHARLES H.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full member-

ship, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Oakdale, 1914-18; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1919-24; Oakdale, 1925-29; Rockwood, 1930-33; Loudon, 1934-35; Big Springs Parish, 1936-37.

THAMES, R. H.—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1922; full membership Holston, 1927; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1925; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1927. Alabama: Kimey, 1923-25; Ashland, 1925-27; Holston, South Pittsburg, 1927; Dandridge, 1928-29; Maryville Circuit, 1930-31; Little River Circuit, 1932-35; Greeneville Circuit, 1936; North Athens and Niota, 1937.

THOMPSON, A. WADE—Holston, 1934; Newport, 1934; Dandridge, 1935-37.

THURSTON, E. C.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1908; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1909; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Georgia: 1908; St. George, 1909; Dunnagan and Simpson, 1910-11; Ellijay, 1912. Holston: Chatata Circuit, 1912-14; Whitwell, 1915; Tracey City, 1916; Well Springs, 1917-18; Dayton, 1919; Retired, 1920.

TIETZE, GODFREY—Admitted on trial, Northwest German Conference, 1912; full membership, 1914; ordained Deacon by Bishop Luccock, 1914; Elder by Bishop Cooke, 1917.

Northwest German Conference: Rudd, Ia., 1911-14; Freeport, Ill., 1914-17; Wood, Ia., 1917-19; Yellow Creek, Ill., 1919-20; Freeport, Ill., 1920-21.

Wisconsin Conference: Bristol, 1921-23; Montello Circuit, 1923-25; left without appointment to attend school, 1925-26; Associate Professor of Bible, University of Chattanooga, 1926-37; transferred to Holston Conference, 1934.

TRENTHAM, EULYS C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1925; full membership, 1928; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1928; Elder by Bishop Leonard, 1930. Holston: Supply Fair Garden, 1921; School, 1922; Supply West Bristol and Riner, 1923; Riner, 1924; Radford, 1925-29; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1930-32; Soddy, 1933-34; Soddy and Daisy, 1935; Soddy, 1936-37.

TORREY, H. M.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cranstons, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Central Tennessee: Nashville, 1902-04; Tullahoma, 1905-07; Dickson, 1908-09; Holston: Elizabethton, 1910-11; Rogersville, 1912-13; LaFollette, 1914-15; Newcomb, 1917; Jacksboro Circuit, 1918; Well Springs, 1919; Retired, 1920.

TURNER, CHARLES MILBURN—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1935; Full membership, 1937; Ordained Deacon by Bishop Wallace E. Brown, 1933; Elder by Bishop Wallace E. Brown, 1935.

Central Tennessee Conference: Hollow Springs, 1929; Pall Mall, 1930-33; Tullahoma, 1933-34. Holston Conference: Athens Parish, 1934-36; East Main Avenue, Knoxville, 1936-37.

WAGNER, ENOS—Holston, full membership, 1929; Athens Circuit, 1929; Decatur, 1930; Graysville, 1931-33; Riner, 1934-35; Well Springs, 1936-37.

WALKER, RICHARD E.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1908.

Holston: Newport Circuit, 1904; Oakland Circuit, 1905-06; Jonesboro, 1907-08; New Salem, 1909-10; Chuckey, 1911-13; Sulphur Springs, 1914-15; Rogersville and Whitehorn, 1916; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1917-18; Greeneville Circuit, 1919-20; Parrottsville, 1921-25; Baileyton, 1926-27; Elizabethton Circuit, 1928; Chuckey, 1929-31; Limestone, 1932; Conference Evangelist 1933-34; Retired, 1935.

WAREING, E. C.—Holston, 1933; First Church, Chattanooga, 1933-35; Chattanooga District, 1936-37.

WATSON, FREDERICK D.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston: Supply, 1910; Mountain City Circuit, 1911; Limestone, 1912; student, 1913; Limestone, 1914; Fall Branch, 1915; student, 1916; Fairview and Fairmont, 1917; Bloomingdale, 1918; Elizabethton, 1919; left without appointment to attend school, 1920; Manker Memorial, 1921-22; left without appointment to attend school, 1923; Rockwood, 1924-25; Red Bank, 1926-28; Copper Hill, 1929-32; Harriman, 1933; Bristol District, 1934-37.

WHITE, ORBUN B.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1929; Ordained Deacon by Bishop Keeney, 1931; Ordained Elder by Bishop Keeney, 1933; Georgia Conference; Rossville, 1929-31; Maple Ave. Marietta, 1933-35; Holston; St. Charles, 1936; Patten Community Center, 1937.

WILKINSON, WILLIAM D.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1922; full membership, 1924; ordained Deacon by Bishop Thirkield, 1924; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1926.

Holston Conference: Student, Athens School, University of Chattanooga, 1918-22; Red Bank, 1918; Knoxville Circuit, 1919-22; Oakwood, 1923-27; Bristol District, 1928-33; Bristol, 1934-36; Conference Evangelist, 1937.

WILLIAMSON, H. G.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1917; full membership, 1919. Ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1919; ordained Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Pikeville, 1917; Soddy, 1918; Loudon, 1919-1921; student in Garrett Biblical Institute, 1921-23; Sevierville, 1923-24; Ridgedale, 1925; Holston Conference Director of Religious Education, 1926-37.



WILSON, JAMES B.—Full membership, 1934; East Main Avenue, 1934-35; left without appointment to attend school, 1926-37.

WINSLOW, WALTER C.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Bloomingdale, 1914; Limestone, 1915; student, 1917; Fall Branch Circuit, 1918; Fordtown, 1919-20; Fall Branch, 1921; Mosheim, 1922-27; Gate City, 1928; year for rest, 1929; Morristown Circuit, 1930-31; Chuckey, 1932-37.

WOODWARD, GEORGE W.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Thirkeld, 1924. Holston: Hilton, 1922; Floyd, 1923-28; Christiansburg, 1929; Supernumerary, 1930-31; Floyd, 1932-33; Retired, 1934.



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